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## WANT S. S. LEAGUE

REGULAR SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ATHLETICS PROPOSED

## ASK ACTION TOMORROW

Wage Earners Appoint Man to Meet Representatives of Other Churches to Discuss Tentative Plans.

A Sunday School Athletic League is being discussed by various individual members of the five Sunday schools of Maryville and the proposition will probably be taken up by the classes tomorrow.

The Wage Earners Bible Class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church at its regular weekly meeting last night appointed I. B. Williams a committee of one to confer with President Ira Richardson of the State Normal School and with members of the other Sunday schools with reference to athletics.

Basketball would be the first game to be taken up. Under the plan as discussed a schedule of twenty weeks would be played, giving each team sixteen games and permitting them to meet each other team four times. The first thing to be decided is getting a place to play.

President Richardson said this morning that he would take the matter under advisement. The difficulty is that the high school team will use the Normal gymnasium as well as the Normal team and the arranging of another night for a Sunday school league would keep the building open many nights.

Other tentative plans discussed are to have the winners of the Sunday School League meet the champions of the Sunday School basketball league of St. Joseph or for an all-star team from each organization to compete. Such an activity on the part of the schools has always been found to be a most effective spur to regular attendance as eligibility to enter games depends upon it.

Mr. Williams is asking today that each Sunday school, particularly the young men's classes, take up the matter tomorrow and appoint a committee-man to meet with him for the discussion of preliminary plans and to decide whether such an organization can be formed.

It is hoped that indoor baseball could be taken up and a schedule played following the basketball season next spring and that a baseball team from each Sunday school could compete in a series of games next summer. A tennis tournament under the auspices of such a Sunday school league is also proposed.

## MAYOR VS. COUNCIL AGAIN

Next Series of Discussions on Selection of Successor to H. L. Raines Due Tonight.

The next number of the serial now being acted by the members of the city council and Mayor U. S. Wright, entitled "The Councilmanic Succession to H. L. Raines," will be shown—and heard—at the city hall tonight. It is expected that the A. C. I. U. (All cursors in use) sign will have to be hung out early.

The by-laws of the city council provide that that body shall meet on the first Friday in each month. Forseeing that the controversy would arise between the mayor and members of the council as to the proper method of electing a successor to H. L. Raines, who removed from the Third ward, the calendar kindly put Friday and Champ Clark day on the first day of the month this October and our suspense was prolonged a day.

## INDICTED FOR ARSON.

Mayor of Webster Groves and Eight Insurance Men Face Charge.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—Roy Tidd, mayor of Webster Groves and president of the Nixon-Jones Printing Co., was arrested for arson today on a true bill from the grand jury of St. Louis county. Eight insurance men were indicted with him. The printing plant burned a month ago just after \$30,000 additional insurance had been taken out.

## To Spend Day.

Mrs. W. E. Goforth and children, Doris Marie and Donald Kent, went to Bolckow this morning to spend the day visiting relatives.

## Miss Hopkins to St. Joseph.

Miss Carrie Hopkins went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day visiting.

## NEW CONFERENCE ON MEXICO

Representatives of Villa and Carranza Will Meet Latin America Republic Ministers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, Oct. 2.—General Maytorena and his staff who were released today at Nogales, Ariz., will come at once to this city where they will represent Villa at the conference of the Latin American Republics. Both Carranza and Villa are very busy pulling wires and making arrangements preparatory to the conference next Saturday morning October 9.

## M. H. S. WINS 25-2

PICKERING GOOD AT CHASING BALLS THAT LOCALS SLUGGED

## LOTS OF FUN FOR CROWD

Showing of Maryville Team Angers Well for Real Season Next Spring—Basketball in a Week.

It was supposed to be a ball game but the crowd of 150 who attended chose to take it humorously. Seven innings were played between Maryville and Pickering high schools yesterday afternoon and the runs scored by the former were thus, by innings, 3, 5, 4, 4, 8, 1. So you understand.

Yes, Pickering did score. The local boys grew careless in the sixth and two runs filtered across. That made the crowd enjoy it more. Rice started the game as pitcher for Pickering. When he got tired in the fourth, the battery was reversed and Moon, the catcher, took the mound. Evidently Moon's arm was made of green cheese as eight runs in his inning will testify. In the latter part of the fifth, Hanna, their big left-handed third baseman, took charge of ceremonies and forbade the fireworks. The scoring of but one run in his inning would seem to show that a different tale might have been told had he started the game. Hanna also got a good hand from the crowd for his great try for a high foul ball of third.

The rest of the Pickering line-up which was brought down by Prof. Albert Harris, principal of the high school there, was: Lett, 1st; G. McKee, 2nd; Fakes, ss; Ed McKee, lf; Gray, cf; Byrum, rf; Williams, sub. The Maryville team looked good. All fielded their positions well and in running the bases they were specially alert. When the bases were full in the third, three runs were scored on three straight wild throws. The team looks good for next spring when real baseball will start. Basketball practice will start in another week at the high school.

## HUGE CROWD AT MT. TABOR

Everyone Congratulating Everybody Else.—Great Weather, Big Dinner and Fine Speakers.

"Yes, we're mighty proud of the new school house," Miss Walton, you are to be congratulated." "Let's make Mt. Tabor as fine a community center as Harmony." "This is an auspicious occasion." "Well, it sure is worth the \$1,600."

These and many other such expressions have been heard many, many times around the new school building at Mt. Tabor today as the model country school house, the pride of that district and of the county, was dedicated.

Everything was a success. The declamations of the children, the big dinner, and the addresses were all that could be wished for. It will become just a plain school house in which all the "kids" will be learning the three R's after Monday morning. A large crowd was there as the day and weather was all that could be asked for. Prof. T. B. Maulding had the Elmo band there to furnish all the music when the Braddyville orchestra was not playing. It is thought that a large part of Lincoln township was there with well-filled baskets and eager to see the new schoolhouse.

## To Visit in Colorado.

Miss Mary Herwick will leave tomorrow morning for Denver, Colo., where she will spend a month visiting her uncle, James Kane and family. Before returning Miss Herwick will visit at other places of interest in the west.

Miss Laura Miller went to Bolckow today to visit over Sunday with home folks.

## KEEP MO. DAY HERE BIG SERIES FRIDAY

FIRST OFFICIAL DAY WILL BE RED SOX AND PHILLIES TO FIGHT WILL BE CELEBRATED MONDAY IT OUT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

## WILL DISPLAY THE FLAG ALL EYES ON ALEXANDER

D. A. R. Promotes Movement.—Business Houses and Homes to Be Decorated with Emblems. Greatest Pitcher of Year Faces Heavy Task as Opponents Are Stronger on Paper.

The official observance of the first Monday in October as "Missouri Day," since an act of the state legislature made it a special day of commemoration, will be on Monday and all the people of the city, the business houses and schools will give their patriotic spirit full sway and will celebrate the day in a fitting manner.

The merchants of the city are planning to decorate in various ways and in every case to display their national flag.

The local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is promoting the movement and they have asked all the residents of the city to display flags both at their business houses and homes.

A special program was given at the D. A. R. meeting this afternoon when Missouri's history and her famous people were the subject of discussion.

The bill which made the first Monday in October of each year known as "Missouri Day" was presented by Mrs. F. N. Korn of Trenton, Mo., and passed the General Assembly March 19, of this year. In this respect, Missouri is following the ways of many of the other states in setting apart an annual day of observance.

## PELZER FRAUDS GROWING

Band Notes and Fake Deeds of Trust Already Over \$200,000.—Insurance Will Cover All

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Kansas City, Oct. 2.—Disclosures of the amounts misplaced by T. C. Pelzer the real estate dealer who was killed when he fell from a window here Thursday, continue to be made. The family has announced that his insurance money will be used to take up the papers and square the accounts.

As his policies were for \$425,000, it is almost certain that they will cover all losses. The exact amount cannot be known until the books are checked but duplicate deeds of trust and fraudulent notes now total more than \$200,000.

The books show that \$600,000 worth of fraudulent notes have been issued in the last five years. It is believed that confederates helped him who are living and the grand jury will investigate.

## IN NEW BUILDING SOON.

Standard Poland-China Record Association to Its New Home About November 1.

The Standard Poland-China Record Association is expecting to move into its new building, east of the postoffice about November 1, according to Ray Davis, secretary of the association. Mr. Davis ordered the new furniture for the building yesterday in Kansas City.

Mr. Davis has been attending this week the tri-state fair at Memphis, Tenn., of the states of Kentucky, Tennessee and Mississippi, and the Missouri state fair at Sedalia.

## ATTRACTED ATTENTION.

St. Louis Republic Says That N. Sisson of Maryville, Prominent at G. A. R. Reunion.

N. Sisson of Maryville, who attended the reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic at Washington, D. C., this week, attracted especial attention, according to the St. Louis Republic. The following is what that paper says in a dispatch from Washington:

Two members of the Missouri delegation, Past Commander N. Sisson of Maryville and S. D. Webster of St. Louis, are attracting especial attention here. Commander Sisson is given the credit of having sounded the bugle call that ended the war at Appomattox courthouse. Kansas City landed the 1916 meeting of the reunion.

## To Visit at Clearmont.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory went to Clearmont this morning to spend a few days visiting her son, O. O. Gregory and family and her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Bancroft.

## OPENS CABINET WITH PRAYER

All Secretaries Kneel as President Wilson Prayed, Says Methodist Bishop.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Indianapolis, Oct. 2.—Bishop Anderson, in addressing the Methodist Episcopal Conference at Cincinnati, said that the President of the United States opens his cabinet meetings with prayer.

According to the Bishop, Woodrow Wilson said at the opening of a recent cabinet meeting: "I do not know whether you men believe in prayer or not. I do. Let us ask God's guidance and help before beginning our deliberations."

The entire cabinet knelt while President Wilson prayed.

## NEW DRIVE COMING

FRENCH SAY GERMANS ARE NOW EXHAUSTED BY ATTACKS

## USED 3,000,000 SHELLS

Allied Success Continues in Every District and Lens Is Within Striking Distance.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The war office announcements continue to tell of successes. The assaults by the Allies in Artois and Champagne have been renewed with a full force and further gains are reported from those fronts.

The French have advanced to the Le Folie heights southeast of Souchez and the Germans were dislodged from their trenches in the woods south of Givenchy. Continued success is reported north of Le Mesnil and near Massiges.

After allowing the Germans to exhaust themselves in counter attacks, the Allies began a series of fresh assaults in the regions of Arras, Ypres, La Basselle, Champagne and Argonne.

The French lines are now within striking distance of Lens. More than three million shells have been fired within the last week and great artillery duels still continue. Another big drive is expected soon by the Allied forces.

## DEAD ESTIMATED 300 TO 550

Tidal Waves Along Coast Flooded Towns in 16 Feet of Water 50 Ships Left Far Inland Wrecked

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New Orleans, Oct. 2.—With the restoring of some communication with towns and cities in the Gulf region, the estimates of the dead now range from 300 to 500. Newspaper correspondents returning from the storm swept country say that tidal waves, 16 feet deep, flooded most of the towns along the coast.

Reports from the devastated district also indicates that at least fifty schooners were swept inland by the wave and wrecked. Their hulls were left high upon land as the water receded.

Street cars are operating here today almost normally and the electric light service will be partly restored tonight.

The exact list of known dead is now 224 with more than a thousand missing. Many sections are still under fifteen feet of water. Rice plantations have been destroyed and the houses washed away.

The relief work is proceeding rapidly. Hundreds are marooned on levees, many of which are damaged beyond repair.

## Lausing and Bernstorff Confer.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Oct. 2.—Secretary of State Lausing and German Ambassador Von Bernstorff conferred here today. Lausing refused to say what happened but admitted that a further conference would be held next week.

## 'TAS BIG DAY FOR DEMOCRATS

GREAT OVATIONS AT ST. JOSEPH FOR CLARK, STONE AND REED.

## BLAGG MENTIONED FOR NEXT GOVERNOR

Maryville and Nodaway Make a Hit With Band and Large Delegation Chairman Honor to County.

Champ Clark day at St. Joseph yesterday, was a great success and will go down in history as one of the notable events in Democratic state politics. And a more magnificent attendance could not have been asked for the auditorium being packed for both the afternoon and evening speaking.

Maryville and Nodaway county made a hit at the meeting with their big delegation and the Fourth Regiment band of this city. As soon as the delegation arrived in St. Joseph yesterday morning, they marched from Francis street station to the Robidoux hotel headed by Mr. Blagg, Judge W. C. Ellison and George B. Baker, with the band following. There were over 150 in the parade. The party received a great ovation at the hotel and the band played a number of pieces in the lobby of the hotel. Maryville's representation at the gathering was the largest sent by any part of the state, considering population.

There were delegations at the meeting from all over the state especially from the northwest part. The Maryville party returned home this morning about two o'clock on a special train from St. Joseph. The train ran as far as Hopkins. A few members of the party stayed over night in St. Joseph and returned today at noon.

All of the Democratic officials of the state, many of the congressmen, members of the Democratic state committee, state leaders and many would-be candidates were also in attendance. The name of Mr. Blagg was frequently mentioned at the meeting in connection with the governorship.

## Blagg's Opening Speech.

W. A. Blagg was the chairman of the meeting and was greeted with cheers as he arose to speak.

"The Republicans of Missouri are in the realm of speculation when they say they are going to carry this state by 60,000 next year," said Blagg. "They're not talking to me! The best refutation of their boast is this outpouring of Democratic spirit."

"The Republicans are now drawing an indictment against us. They expect to follow it with an ouster proceeding. But the party that is entrenched behind the great interests of the country that throughout its many years of power put this nation in a condition of economic chaos, will hardly be permitted to realize that ambition."

"This is a successful meeting. You said you were going to bring 'em here from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky, and I'm glad they didn't come. I'm happy to be with home folks."

In the afternoon Senator J. A. Reed, ex-Governor David R. Francis of St. Louis and Governor Major spoke. Reed discussed national issues; Francis predicted a wave of great prosperity and talked national finance; Major discussed Wilson, saying he was for "reasonable preparedness and was willing to let the President determine what that was." The remainder of his speech was devoted to defending attacks that had been made on the state administration. The governor appeared somewhat exercised over criticisms of the last administration. He discussed at length the controversy over the public school money.

## Great Ovation for Clark.

At the meeting Champ Clark, Speaker and guest of honor with Senator Stone, were the speakers. Clark got a big reception, the crowd rising and cheering several minutes. Here is what the Speaker said:

"The people seem to have absolute confidence in the pilot of the ship of

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Mrs. E. L. Townsend returned last night from a stay of ten days in Kansas City, where she visited her aunt, Mrs. Charles Campbell.

## Nat C. Goodwin, in "BUSINESS IS BUSINESS" Six Acts, 7:20, 8:30 and 9:30 Tonight, Fern, 5 and 10c

Tue-day Francis X. Bushman



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### Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

#### Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county, as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

### THE BIG ENOUGH MAN.

Missouri is a Democratic state and must be kept Democratic.

Just now the rank and file of the party are casting about for candidates to put forward in 1916. There was a time when the "fixers" of both parties met in secret session and selected the tickets.

But the people are now in the saddle. Every member of the Democratic party, from the humblest to the highest, has a voice in the selection of party candidates, but "they do say" that the republican "fixers" are still on the job.

Missouri can be kept Democratic by naming candidates for state offices big enough for the position, and who are on good terms with the people.

There are a thousand Democrats in Missouri who would fill the governor's office ideally. There are perhaps, 990 who could not be elected if nominated, because of this or that handicap, lack of acquaintance, one-sided statesmen, and so on and on.

The Democrats must have a strong, acceptable man to head the ticket next year. The party can "carry no load." Every American has a right to aspire, but no Democrat, after "measuring himself and finding points of weakness," should permit his ambition to stand in the way of party success. Personal sacrifice is better than party defeat.

The Journal has no friend to reward or enemy to punish in the naming of a candidate for governor—it is absolutely "heart and fancy free," and is seeking only the "big enough man" who can secure the full party strength at the polls.

The people are talking, they are "dissecting," and no point of weakness will be overlooked; the business interests of the state are demanding the "big enough man."

Who is he?—Hannibal Journal.

The above expresses the sentiment of the Democrat-Forum.

#### After Wilcox Hill Now.

The Wabash will have a large machine, which has been shipped from Indiana, at work on the Wilcox hill next week. There is a large force of men at work on the track near Wilcox now and considerable improvement will be made there before winter. At present the dirt which has been washed into the ditches and cuts by the rains this summer is being cleaned out.—Burlington Junction Post.

#### Five Brothers Get Iron Cross.

Special To The Democrat-Forum.  
Dresden, Oct. 2.—A Saxon veteran of the war of 1870-71, Capt. Paul Sievert, enjoys the unique distinction of being the father of five sons who have all been decorated with the iron cross for their bravery in the present war. Four have also received the Saxon Albrecht Order and the fifth is proposed for this decoration.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

#### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## 'Twas BIG DAY FOR DEMOCRATS

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state—Woodrow Wilson—and are not likely to drop him overboard in mid-ocean while the storm whips the waters into fury. He did his duty. The Democratic House did its duty. The Democratic Senate did its duty. We submit that we deserve well of the Republic—all of us. Having discharged our duty and been faithful to our trust, the people will assume that we will do our duty and be faithful even to the end.

"In two brief years we placed on the statute books more constructive legislation of the most highly beneficial character than the Republicans enacted in two decades—legislation so good that in addition to Democratic votes, nearly all the Progressives and a large per cent of the regular Republicans voted for the great constructive measures.

"We passed a great tariff bill—the greatest ever placed upon the statute books.

"The Democrats, with the assistance of patriotic Progressives and a patriotic contingent of Republicans, placed on the statute books the National Reserve Bank Act, which is now praised by all business men.

"We passed an anti-trust law which tends to promote legitimate business and crush illegitimate.

"Under the new law trusts are being dissolved and rearranging their business on a legitimate basis."

Senator Stone was the other speaker at the night meeting. He talked on "practical politics." He said the party hadn't paid enough attention to getting candidates from every corner of the state and had weakened the ticket thereby. He admonished them to be more careful in the future.



#### SOME RELISHES.

**SWEET GHERKINS.**—Fill a tub with salt water strong enough to bear up an egg. Put gherkins not over a finger long in this and let them stand nine days. Take them out and harden them by letting them stand in fresh cold water for several hours; then spread them out on a folded tablecloth to free them of moisture. Pack them in glass quart jars, fill with cold vinegar and set them aside for three weeks in a cool place; then open the jars, drain off the vinegar and to that of each jar add one cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of extract of mace and the same of extract of cloves and cinnamon and cayenne pepper to taste. Stir until the sugar is dissolved, pour the liquid over the pickles, close the jars and set in a cool place.

**Pickled Beets That Will Keep.**—Six beets, two ounces of whole peppers, two pints of vinegar, one blade of mace, one-half ounce of whole ginger and twelve cloves. Wash beets carefully, taking care not to break the fiber or they will bleed and lose their color. Boil them in plenty of boiling salted water for one hour and a half. Take them up, peel and cut them in slices an eighth of an inch thick and put them in a jar. Boil one pint of the vinegar with the whole peppers, mace, cloves and ginger and when boiled for five minutes add to it the other pint of cold vinegar.

**Mango Pepper Relish.**—Seven large mango peppers (five green, two red), one fine grained (large) cabbage, one-third cupful of salt, one cupful of sugar, two heaping tablespoonfuls whole white mustard seed, vinegar enough to cover. Run peppers through meat grinder, using finest gauge. Squeeze all the juice from the chopped peppers and put them into a porcelain or granite pan. Grind cabbage, mix all together thoroughly. Barely cover with vinegar.

**Apple Pickle.**—Cut sweet apples, after paring, into pieces the right size to go into cans. Cook in water until tender, then put into cans and keep warm while the pickle is heating. Boil together two pounds of sugar, one pint of vinegar, one-half ounce each of cinnamon bark and cloves. Put the spice in a bag. Turn over the cooked apples in the cans while hot and seal. Use more sugar if apples are sour and be careful not to cook too long.

*Anna Thompson.*

#### Taking Pains.

"You say she takes pains to conceal the size of her feet? What do you mean?"

"I mean she wears shoes two sizes too small for her. If that isn't taking pains what is?"—Houston Post.

#### A Long Pennant.

The "home-ard bounder" is the pennant hoisted by a warship when she gets orders to return from a foreign port. The cruiser Denver in 1909 flew one 350 feet long on the voyage in from a three years' eastern cruise.

#### Whalebone.

About half a ton of whalebone is obtained from one whale, its value being, roughly, \$5,000.

## Sunday Services at Local Churches

### Buchanan Street Methodist.

R. C. Holliday, pastor.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m. on "The Bible," and in the evening at 7:30 p. m.

### First Church of Christ, Scientist.

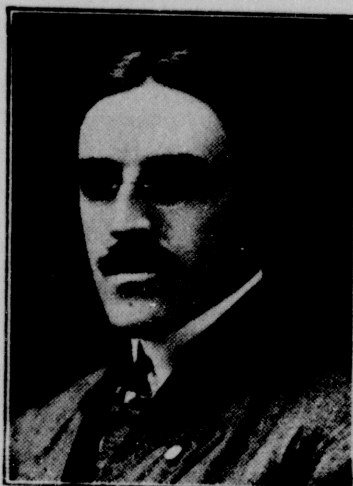
206 South Main.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Unreality." No evening worship on Sunday. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in Michau building open each afternoon from two till five o'clock. Every one invited to the services and to the use of the reading room.

### First Presbyterian.

William Moll Case, pastor.  
Church school at 9:45 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock at which will be celebrated the Holy Communion service. Young People's Club meeting at 6:30 o'clock, subject of study, "A Worth While Program for the Year," with Philip Colbert, leader. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock subject of pastor's sermon, "The Best Thing in the World."

### First Christian.

Robert L. Finch, pastor.  
E. E. Elliott of St. Louis, an officer of the general convention of the Christian church and one active in the Christian Board of Publication, will preach tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the



E. E. ELLIOTT.

First Christian church. Mr. Elliott is the author of several religious works. The usual Sunday school service will be held at 9:30 o'clock, and the morning worship and communion at 10:45. At this hour, Mrs. F. P. Robinson will give a report of the recent national convention of Christian churches held at Los Angeles, Cal., which she attended. Special music will be given and at the evening hour, the choir under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, will give the musical cantata, "Messiah Victorious."

### First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.  
"Promotion Day" exercises will be the program given at the Sunday school which meets at the regular hour of 9:30 o'clock. The graded work for the year will be started at this time and the various classes promoted into the new study. Regular morning worship at 10:45 o'clock, subject of the pastor's sermon "Fellowship." The service will also be a communion one. Choir anthem, "Give us peace," Shelley. Mr. Cox will sing the solo, "Babylon" by Marston. Subject of evening sermon at 7:30 o'clock, "The Great Invitation." Special music.

### First Baptist.

Lewis M. Hale, pastor.  
Bible school 9:30 a. m. What do we want? We want every member of the church and every member of the Bible school and as many of their friends as possible to be at the church at 9:30, and those who cannot be there at 9:30 get there as soon as you can. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Tragedy of an Absence." Special music including anthem by the choir and solo by Mrs. Westbrook.

Bring your lunch with you and stay at the church for the hour and a half of good fellowship. If you have no one to fix lunch for you come anyway and we will gladly share with you.

Afternoon program begins promptly at two o'clock, including devotional service, reports from the various departments of the church for the past year, and finally an old fashioned praise service in which all may have a part.

This is our annual Home Coning. All members of the church are expected to be present, and all other folk have a cordial invitation.

There will be no evening service, except the B. Y. P. U. at 7:30.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## PRODIGIOUS COST OF EUROPEAN WAR

Divine Foresaw Great Conflict Two Years Ago.

### HIS PROPHECY FULFILLED.

One Year Has Cost More Than Estimated Value of All Property of United States West of Mississippi. Would Pay National Debts of All Nations.

Philadelphia.—Rev. Dr. J. Henry Smythe, editor, author, traveler, lecturer, chancellor of the American university, Tennessee, two years ago last February made the following startling prophecy while speaking at Knoxville: "One hundred years or more ago Napoleon, in the fiery dash of manhood's morning, was master of all France. The Egyptian and the Austrian campaigns were over, Russia was invaded, England was threatened. Spain was subjugated.

"The whole continent of Europe was prostrate and paralyzed. Millions of armed men were in the field, and conflict and carnage raged from the Tiber to the Thames. But Nelson pounded Napoleon on the sea, and Wellington pounded him upon the land, and together they pounded him to pieces. Elba and Waterloo were but the blood stained stepping stones to St. Helena.

"If you will stand with me tonight at the hinges of history and look along the sky line of current events you will see that war is shimmering in every arsenal of Europe and every wave that breaks upon the shore is red with blood. Yet Tientsin and Port Arthur, Havana harbor and Manila bay were but the shifting scenery, moved by the hidden hand of God, in the awful and unending tragedy of time."

"We estimate the cash cost of the European war to Aug. 1, 1915, at \$17,000,000,000," says Dr. Smythe, "while other known losses will amount up to make a grand total of \$46,000,000,000. No one can have even the faintest conception of what \$46,000,000,000 may be. It is four times all the coin in the world. If this sum were measured out in twenty dollar gold pieces and they were placed side by side on the railway track, on each rail, they would cover with gold every line from New York to the Pacific ocean, the two Canadian lines included. There would be enough left over to cover each rail of the Siberian railway from Vladivostok to Petrograd. There would still remain sufficient to rehabilitate Belgium and to buy the whole of Turkey, at her own valuation, wiping her finally and forever from the map.

"Or we may figure in some other fashion. The average workman in America earns \$518 per year. It would take 90,000,000 years' work to pay the cost of the war up to date, or 90,000,000 American laborers might pay it off in one year if all their living expenses were paid.

"The cost of a year of the great war is a little more than the estimated value of all the property of the United States west of the Mississippi river. It is nearly equal to the total value of all the property in Germany, \$48,000,000,000, as estimated in 1906. The whole Russian empire, \$35,000,000,000, could have been bought for a less sum before the war began. It could be had on a spot cash sale, more cheaply now. This sum would have paid for all the property in Italy, \$13,000,000,000; Japan, \$10,000,000,000; Holland, \$5,000,000,000; Belgium, \$7,000,000,000; Spain, \$6,000,000,000, and Portugal, \$2,500,000,000. It is three times the entire yearly earnings in wages and salaries of the people of the United States, \$15,500,000,000.

"The first year's cost of this war would pay the national debts of all the nations in the world at the time the war broke out. If all the farms, farming lands and factories in the United States were wiped out of existence the cost of this war would more than replace them. If all the personal and real property of half our nation were destroyed or if an earthquake of incredible dimensions should shake down every house from the Atlantic to the Pacific the waste would be less than that involved in this war up to date. And such an elemental catastrophe would leave behind it no costly legacy of hate.

"And then the aftermath—good God the aftermath!"

### PINE ENRICHES INDIANS.

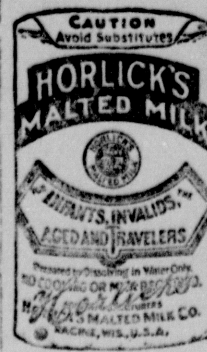
Chippewas Get Property Valued at \$820,500.

Ashland, Wis.—Pine timber valued at \$820,500 on the Bad River reservation, near Ashland, will be distributed among 547 Indians, many of whom are children, according to official notice received by the Indian office from the secretary of the interior.

In addition to the timber each Indian will have title to the land on which the timber stands, averaging about eighty acres for each person.

It is claimed by government experts that the Chippewa Indians of the Bad River reservation are the richest tribe in America, with one exception. They have more than \$1,500,000 to their credit in the vaults of Ashland and Duluth from the sale of pine from former allotments.

H. E. Nicholas of Burlington Junction, took cattle to St. Joseph yesterday.



## HORLICK'S

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**MALTED MILK**  
THE FOOD-DRINK FOR ALL AGES  
TAKE A PACKAGE HOME  
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### Praise for Woman's Edition.

The woman's edition of the Maryville Democrat-Forum of last Saturday was a daisy, 24 pages chuck full of what women would do—but they told the truth in an article, where they acknowledged that minding the baby wasn't such a bad job after all.—Ravenwood Gazette.

The Woman's Edition of the Maryville Daily Democrat-Forum, published Saturday, was a very creditable work. It contained twenty-four interesting pages, and the different departments prove that the women of Maryville have a real interest in the upbuilding of their town.—Burlington Junction Post.

The Federation of Women's clubs of Maryville, edited the Maryville Democrat-Forum last Saturday, and they put out a twenty-four page paper. It was a dandy, too, chuck full of news of all kinds and best of all, as far as money goes, it was well patronized by the merchants in the way of advertising. If the Democrat-Forum manager could retain the parties that had the management of the ad department for that day he would sure make the paper the best paying institution in the county.—Clearmont News.

The club women of Maryville who have been active in the welfare of their city for a number of years past, last Saturday issued the edition of the Daily Democrat-Forum, and as in most of their efforts they had undertaken heretofore they were gratifyingly successful. The number consisted of 24 pages, all filled with bright, interesting and well written copy. The effort was made for the benefit of the women's rest room there, and we hope they made as much money as they deserve. Women are winners.—Albany Ledger.

### The "Why" of Cover Crops.

Cover crops can be converted into hay.  
The legumes gather nitrogen from the air for the building up of the soil.  
Winter cover crops—  
Protect soil from washing.  
Prevent soil from blowing away.  
Prevent soluble plant food from being lost by leaching.  
Furnish winter and early spring grazing.  
Enrich the soil by adding vegetable matter and humus.

### Loyal to James.

One does not often hear of feminine protest against the military note in prevalent fashions of dress. But a certain jokesmith offers this:

"Why, my dear, how sober you look! There isn't a single bright color about you."

"No; I thought that now James is in the diplomatic service I had better wear neutral tints."

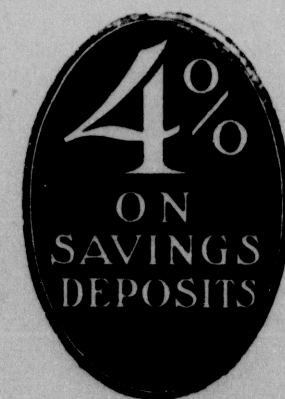
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MARYVILLE — MISSOURI



## SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK  
PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

### Worth While.

It is easy enough to be pleasant,  
When life flows along like a song.  
But the man worth while is the one  
who will smile,  
When everything goes dead wrong.  
For the test of the heart is trouble,  
And it always comes with the years,  
And the smile that is worth the praises  
of earth,  
Is the smile that shines through  
tears.

It is easy enough to be prudent,  
When nothing tempts you to stray,  
When without or within no voice of sin  
Is luring your soul away;  
But it's only a negative virtue  
Until it is tried by fire,  
And the life that is worth all the  
honors of earth,  
Is the one that resists desire.

But the cynic, the sad, and the fallen,  
Who had no strength for the strife,  
The world's highway is cumbered to-  
day,

They make up the sum of life,  
But the virtue that conquers passion,  
And the sorrow that hides in a smile,  
It is these that are worth all the  
homage of earth  
For we find them but once in awhile.  
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

### Music Department to Meet.

The music department of the Twentieth Century club will hold its first meeting of the season at three o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. F. Harvey on North Main street.

### Chosen as District Officers.

Mrs. Catherine Miller of West Third street was chosen second vice president of the Northwest Missouri District Women's Relief Corps at the annual convention which closed in St. Joseph yesterday. Other district officers chosen from the Maryville Corps were Mrs. Minnie Farrar, guard, and Mrs. Fidelia Gearhart, assistant guard. The next annual convention will be held in Maryville in September of 1916. Mrs. Mary Langle of Cameron, was elected president of the district.

### To Hold Annual Bazaar.

At the meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Buchanan Street church held yesterday afternoon, plans were made for the annual yuletide bazaar which is one of the events of the fall and winter work. The various heads of the committees are Mrs. M. A. Peery, fancy booth; Mrs. M. L. Hopper, and Mrs. M. E. Farrar, aprons and miscellaneous; Mrs. W. T. Gray, delicatessen and market booth and Mrs. Ed. T. Dale, home made candy. The women are busy at work making pretty things which will be for sale at this bazaar.

### Mr. and Mrs. Mutz Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz entertained the members of the I. X. L. embroidery club, their husbands and a few other friends with a game party last night at the Mutz home. Various guessing contests on the weight and number of different articles, caused much merriment and domino games were also played. The home was brightened with quantities of nasturtiums and they were also used to decorate the luncheon tables. The hosts were assisted by their daughters, Miss

### Kodaks and Supplies.

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## Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.



## MOTHER! YOUR CHILD IS CROSS FEVERISH, FROM CONSTIPATION

If Tongue Is Coated, Breath Bad, Stomach Sour, Clean Liver and Bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." 10-1-15.

es Lou, Jeanette and Isora Mutz, in entertaining. The special guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Lou Holt, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Compton and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz and two daughters.

### For Mrs. Whedbee.

Mrs. C. H. Airy and daughter, Miss Golda Airy, have as their house guest for a few days, Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., and last night in honor of their visitor they gave a dinner at which the additional guests were Mrs. W. T. Garrett and Miss Jennie Garrett and today as another pleasure for Mrs. Whedbee, they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, and son, William, and Mrs. John Bantz at luncheon.

### Praises Special Edition.

One of the most highly appreciated compliments given the club women's special edition of the Democrat-Forum issued September 25, was received yesterday from Mrs. Anna Messenger in a letter written to Mrs. VanCleve, in which she expresses her commendation and the especial enjoyment which the reading of the paper has been to her. Mrs. Messenger is one of the "shut-in" friends, whose praise is particularly pleasing to the workers on the special edition. One of the articles used this week, that was held over from the club issue is "In the Shade of the Old Maple Tree," and its authorship was credited to the editor of the paper. This is an error as the writing is that of Mrs. Messenger's daughter, the late Marcia M. Messenger who was for years a member of The Democrat-Forum force. Many of the people mentioned in the story were personal friends of the writer and the reading of it has brought many dear memories of the time when Miss Messenger lived and worked among them.

### Report of Elm Grove School.

Report of Elm Grove school, district No. 82, for month beginning September 6, and ending October 1, 1915.  
Total enrollment, 17.  
Average daily attendance, 16.1.  
Number attending every day, 9.  
Number of cases of tardiness, 1.  
Number of visitors, 1.

The following pupils were neither absent or tardy during the month: Fay Baker, Frank Baker, Elva Aley, Grace Coburn, Nellie Coburn, Thelma Mann, Mariam Catterson, Halbert Catterson. Visitors always welcome.  
Maybird Carver, teacher.

### Big Wolf Chase at Wilcox.

There was quite an exciting time in the country about four miles east of town Monday night when a pack of thirty-four hounds made a run for some wolves. The hounds struck the trail early in the evening and followed it for several hours. They chased the wolves over in the vicinity of Wilcox but were unable to come up with them. The big pack was made up of hounds from College Springs and Braddyville, Iowa. Bert Mitchell's hounds were also in the chase.—Burlington Junction Post.

### Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

#### Buys Imported Sheep.

W. M. Golding, west of the city, has just returned from Iowa with a choice flock of imported and pure bred Shropshire sheep. This will be a valuable addition for Lyndhurst Stock farm.

#### G. H. LEACH, D. V. S.

Maryville, Mo.

Hanamo Phone, office, 5; res. 459.

Farmers' phone, office, 160; res. 160

#### CHARLES E. STILLWELL, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

## DESTROY LITTLE RED MITES

Hen Is Powerless to Protect Herself From Ravages of Vermin—Egg-Laying Out of Question.

There is no poultry parasite that our feathered friends are less powerless to combat than the common red mite. The body lice can be kept in check by the hen if she has her liberty, because she will frequently find a good dusting place and proceed to cleanse herself and make things very uncomfortable for the lice. But on account of her attachment to her home, no matter how poor it is, she will go back every night to infested roosts and allow the mites to crawl upon her and suck her lifeblood. Poor biddy is powerless to protect herself and unless friend man steps in and does something for her she soon becomes emaciated and dejected, and egg-laying is entirely out of the question. The red mite is one of the most common causes of no eggs when there ought to be some eggs.

Cleanliness in the coop is an important factor in the control of the mite, as it will hide under filth, droppings and litter, as well as in cracks and crevices of the roosts and nests. Clean coops, however, are not entirely free from infestation and may even become seriously infested if not given treatment. Spraying is a common means of control, cresol sprays or kerosene emulsion being recommended. On account of being unable to accomplish thorough work by spraying it is necessary to spray frequently in order to keep the mites in check.

Probably the most thorough method of control is by fumigation. The fumes will permeate every part of the coop and kill all the mites, regardless of whether they are in the litter or on the roosts. As all of the mites are killed the treatment will be effective for a long time, as it will be some time before a coop will become infested again. The fumigation method is the easiest one to control the mites. All that is necessary is to place the proper amount of fumigant in an open kettle, light it and close the doors tightly. When the doors are opened several hours later the coop is entirely bugless. In order to get good results it is necessary to use a sufficient amount of good fumigant. The commercial article is the most convenient to use and will assure good results if the directions are followed.

## GOOD ROADS HELP SCHOOLS

Improved Highways and Schoolmaster Are Two Greatest Forces for Advanced Civilization.

Women are keenly interested in the schools. The country having good roads nearly always has good schools. They go together. Where children are forced to cross fields to avoid mud holes in the highways the school is usually hardly worth keeping open. It has been said that "the two greatest forces for the advancement of civilization are the schoolmaster and good roads."

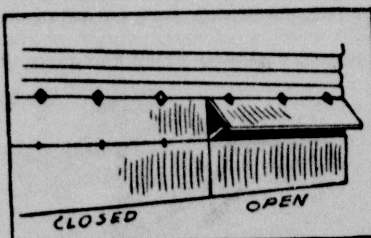
Bad roads in this country are said to be responsible for a loss of a billion dollars a year. This affects the transportation, mercantile and industrial interests as well as the purely agricultural interests. This loss in dollars does not take account of the isolation that is caused by the same reason.

Many women in the country are practically prisoners in their homes for weeks at a time in winter because of the condition of the roads. They are unable to see to the marketing of the farm products. They are unable to take advantage of market conditions. Eggs that are a good price at the time when they are gathered are collected and held till the roads become passable. By that time a change in the market may have robbed them of several dollars that would have been theirs had they been able to get the produce to market.

## VENTILATING A SHEEP SHED

Manner of Arrangement Shown in Illustration Gives Ample Supply of Fresh Air for Animals.

The manner of arranging a sheep shed, as shown in the illustration, furnishes the desired fresh air and prevents the storm, rains, etc., from getting inside, where ordinary door arrangements are not always sure, fly-



Shed Ventilators.

ing open with force frequently. The top of this shed may be left open the greater part of the time without harming the flock at all.

#### A Colt Ration.

A grain ration consisting of six pounds of oats or corn, three pounds of bran, and one pound of oilmeal is recommended for colts by the Ohio agricultural college. One pound of the grain mixture should be fed for each 100 pounds of colts, in connection with all the alfalfa or clover hay they will eat.

#### Weaken Bird's Vitality.

Unwholesome feed and unhealthy surroundings quickly weaken a bird's vitality.

## CORRECT FOR AUTUMN.

This Smart Suit Attracts by Its Graceful, Simple Lines.



BROADCLOTH AND BRAID.

Featured in a coat almost three-quarters length, this beautiful suit has a full skirt with four plaits on either side and military braid as trimming. A deep belt, disappearing over the hips, is fastened with satin buttons. Novelty velvet furnishes the high turn-over collar. Cloth top shoes and a wide brimmed sailor, trimmed with a coque feather, complete the smart effect.

## SETTLE YOUR HOME.

After Vacation Ends This Task Falls to the Housewife.

Coming home from a vacation is not relished by any worker, but it is particularly hard for the housewife, who must set her home in order immediately upon her return. And this is the lot which awaits most women who have spent the summer in the country and whose homes or apartments have been shut up during the hot weather.

A partially dismantled apartment is a most depressing sight to view upon one's home-coming and the prospect of all the work to be done to put the rooms in order will not add to the gaiety of one's spirits. However, the work must be done and done quickly, so it must be accepted with the best grace possible.

If the housewife has been careful about closing up the house before her departure in the early part of summer, her task of reopening the rooms and setting them in order will be considerably lessened at this time of year. All that will be necessary will be to dust, strip off the coverings from furniture and pictures, put down the rugs after the floors have been oiled and hang up the curtains and outer coverings.

In opening up the house for winter occupation begin with the bedrooms, for these will be needed first. It is decidedly unhealthy to sleep even for one night in rooms that have been unaired for several weeks. So throw open the windows the moment you enter the house and let the fresh air clear out the musty odors. Now begin by taking down the bed and going over every crack and crevice carefully, wiping off every particle of dust and washing with gasoline if necessary. Do not use gasoline near fire or open light.

Next tackle the mattress. This should be thoroughly brushed, beaten and aired before being put back on the bed. The same treatment should be accorded the springs. While the bed is thus dismantled, the springs and mattresses having been sent to the roof for an airing if possible, wipe off the walls of the bedroom with a broom wrapped in flannel. This will do away with the chance of microbes remaining in the room from dust which may have collected on the walls.

Now the bed is ready to be made and the rest of the room set in order.

This work will take up probably an entire day, and as it is the most important and necessary work to be done after the housewife's return, she should rest content with her labors and leave the rest of the house for some future time.

It is unwise to try to accomplish too much after the return, for all the benefit of the vacation will be gone if the housewife becomes tired out while putting her house in order.

## An Old Kentucky Home

Since I Began Taking Peruna I Weigh 120 Pounds for the First Time in My Life. My former weight was 102 lbs. My Mother who is 76 Years Old Had Grown so Weak She could scarcely walk. She also took Peruna and is fleshier and looking well.

The above splendid woman is Mrs. Hattie Hamilton, of 918 Glen Ave., Latonia, Ky. She recommends Peruna to all housewives. Address The Peruna Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of the "Tells of Life."



## Do You Want to Reach Ready-Money Folks?

Wise and energetic people are on the lookout for opportunities. This is why they read the want ads, for with their ready money they are able to take advantage of the inducements offered in this department.

If you have a reasonable proposition you are sure to get results from The Democrat-Forum classified section.



# WANTED

**Horses, Mares and Mules**  
5 to 9 years old, 15 hands to 16 hands high, weighing 950 to 1450 pounds. Want these sound and in fair flesh for which we will pay the highest market price. Show us your good ones.

Will be at  
**Maryville Thursday, October 7**

**A. O. Fisher & Sons**

## ANOTHER NAVAL GAME BEGINS

**Attacking Force of Atlantic Fleet Will Try to Land on Coast—Umpires to Decide.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Newport, R. I., Oct. 2.—One of the most important war games ever attempted by the Navy department started today on plans worked out by the Naval War College here.

While the Navy officials are reticent in talking of the game it is known that the operations will extend from Cape Cod to Norfolk and that the Atlantic fleet will be divided into two parts, the Blue fleet attempting to defend the country, while the Red fleet attempts to land an expeditionary force.

The imaginary invading force must find a landing place between Cape Cod and Norfolk in the face of the defending fleet. Umpires will decide whether this has been safely accomplished.

Last May in similar manoeuvres, the defending warships failed dismally and the Red fleet landed a large force (theoretically) in Chesapeake Bay.

The Red fleet was technically possessed of greater numbers of fast scout and battleship cruisers, and using them as a screen deceived the Blue fleet awaiting along the New England coast.

The result of these manoeuvres, the Navy department announced, indicated clearly the necessity of increasing the complement of scout and battleship cruisers, and showed the impossibility of dreadnaughts effectually protecting the coast lines. The invaders were also in possession of a superior number of submarines. The superiority of the attacking force was gauged by the Naval College so that the invading fleet represented technically the strength which a foreign power, such as Germany or England, could muster in case an attack was made on this country.

### Suspicion.

From Stray Stories.

"Oh, mother," sobbed the young wife, "John doesn't trust me."

"Why, my child, what has he done?"

"Well, you know, I cooked my first dinner for him today, and he invited a friend to dine with him." The sobs broke afresh. "And oh, mother, the man was a doctor!"

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic Boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.  
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## CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at public auction at my farm, 6 1/2 miles southeast of Maryville, 1 mile south and 3/4 of a mile east of Mt. Airy church, 2 miles south and 1 1/4 miles west of Casey Corner, 2 miles northwest of Bedison, on

**Wednesday, October 6**

6 HEAD HORSES—2-year-old gelding, 1 bay mare 5 years old, 1 bay mare smooth mouth, both bred to Percheron horse; 1 brown mare 6 years old, bred to Coach horse, gentle for women and children; 1 yearling half-blood Shetland pony mare, spotted black and white; 1 gray pony mare smooth mouth in foal.

17 HEAD OF CATTLE—8 head milk cows, all good young ones; 2 2-year-old heifers, 1 bull 2 years old, 1 yearling steer, 5 spring calves.

37 HEAD OF HOGS—7 brood sows, 30 shoats from 50 to 100 lbs.

FEED—15 acres of corn in field, 10 tons hay, fall pasture with running water. 30 bushels potatoes.

3 or 4 dozen Golden Laced Wyandotte chickens, 10 Mammoth bronze turkeys.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, combined lister and drill, plow, harrow, mowing machine, sweep rake, disc, riding cultivator, hay frame, go-devil, corn sheller, buggy, 3 sets of double harness, set single harness, De Laval cream separator, lard press, incubator, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Furniture, organ, malleable steel range, good as new, various other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Lunch by ladies of Bedison church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

Joe Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

**G. L. BONEWITZ**

## FOUNDER OF PARNELL DEAD

**Horace Jones, Extensive Land Holder and Farmer, Succumbs Last Night to Long Illness.**

Horace Jones, 68 years old, one of the most extensive land holders in Nodaway county, and the founder of the town of Parnell, died at 10 o'clock last night at the family home in Parnell.

Mr Jones had been in failing health for the past two years and for several months past had been confined to his bed.

In 1872, after a period of several years spent as a wage earner in various parts of the west, to which he had come from Montgomery county, Indiana, where he was born and grew to manhood, Mr. Jones purchased a farm which is now the town site of Parnell. From that time on his career in a business way held remarkable success. He kept buying up land until in a few years he owned about 4,000 acres.

In 1887 when the Great Western railroad was built through Nodaway county, its lines crossed the western part of the county and the station of Parnell was located on Mr. Jones' land. Mr. Jones erected some of the best buildings in the town, gave a lot to each of the churches and aided them in erecting buildings. He was very active in everything which would pertain to the advancement of Parnell. Mr. Jones was twice married, first to Miss Ellen Otter of Iowa, who died in 1879 and later to Miss Julia L. Allyn, who with four children survive him. The children are Mrs. Geo. Felton, Mrs. F. A. Brett, Edward and Ben Jones, all living at Parnell.

Mr. Jones was a member of the Masonic lodge and it will have a part in the funeral services which are to be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the family home in Parnell, conducted by the Rev. W. E. Tinney, pastor of the Methodist church of that place.

The Knights Templar Order of Masons of this city, will go to Parnell to attend the funeral services tomorrow. They will start from here in autos at 11:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. The funeral will be under the auspices of the Parnell lodge of Masons.

### SIR KNIGHTS, ATTENTION.

You are ordered to assemble in the Asylum, Masonic Hall, Sunday, October 3rd, at 11 o'clock a. m. to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Horace Jones at Parnell. Cars will leave the hall at 11:30 a. m.

W. H. Hudson,  
Recorder.

### WIRES STOP FOR 2 DAYS

**Believed Allies Have Some Large "Coups" Planned.**

New York, Oct. 2.—"Because of military necessity" all Europe will be isolated for the next forty-eight hours from the rest of the world so far as telegraphic and cable communication is concerned. This does not apply to censored press dispatches.

It is believed this action was taken to cloak some extraordinary important military movement of the Allies, which, it is feared, might be communicated to enemy countries by spies.

The postmaster general of England announced in London yesterday all telegrams for neutral countries in Europe, for Russia and for Serbia would be subject to forty-eight hours' delay.

Immediately following this announcement came one from France saying that because of military necessity the acceptance of private telegrams from any origin destined to Switzerland or in transit through Switzerland would be temporarily suspended.

### Two Farms Sold Today.

George Perkins, who lives four and a half miles east of Pickering, sold today, through Collins & Alexander of Pickering, an 80-acre farm to Charles McMaster of Hopkins, for a purchase price of \$6,866. At the same time Mr. Perkins sold a 40-acre tract to Lawrence Wiley of Pickering for \$2,933. The new owners will take possession March 1, next.

### Visiting High School Teachers.

Miss Elma Baker of Hale, Mo., came last night for a week-end visit with Miss Lois Halley and Miss Mary Rooker, teachers in the high school. Miss Halley attended the University of Missouri with Miss Baker and Miss Rooker lived in Hale for several years.

### Employed at Telephone Office.

Miss Elizabeth Cunningham has been employed as assistant operator at the Clyde mutual telephone exchange.

### Returns to Kansas City.

Mrs. Charles Bird of Kansas City, returned to her home this morning after a visit at Quito, where she was the guest of Mrs. Rose Bird.

A large force of apple pickers began work at the Ford & Klaas orchard Monday. It is expected that about 300 barrels will be picked and packed daily and loaded at this station. The entire crop will be shipped to Minnesota.—Parnell Sentinel.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Orchard Information

### CULTIVATION IN AN ORCHARD

**Some Sort of Straw Mulch Will Act as Protection From Heaving Caused by Frost and Thaw.**

(By R. B. HOWE, Colorado Experiment Station.)

There are two main reasons for cultivating—to make plant food available and to conserve moisture. In cultivating, the soil particles are broken up and the root hairs passing in among the small particles take up plant food from the soil water. The plant food goes into solution in the soil water as the rock and particles in the soil decompose. More often we cultivate to kill the weeds, but really to conserve moisture. After each rain the soil is packed down to some extent, and this crust, which forms upon the surface with the drying of the soil, will draw water from the subsoil to the surface by capillarity. When we cultivate this surface crust is broken up and the water does not as readily escape from the sub-surface to the air, and is held for use by the plant. The fruit crop requires a great deal of water to mature fruits of good size. In dry seasons the size of the summer fruits is liable to be small on account of the insufficient water supply. Where the fruit garden is a small plot of ground sufficient to supply the table with fruit it is difficult to take time to cultivate the strawberries and blackberries, and for this reason the use of some sort of a straw mulch will be best to help retain the moisture in the soil for the plants. The mulch is plowed under after the crop has been taken off and a new mulch applied in the fall after the ground is well frozen, when it will also act as a protection from the heaving caused by the frosts and thaws.

### HOW TO PREPARE BORDEAUX

**A Few Suggestions in Regard to Its Proper Mixing—Formula Most in Use at Present Time.**

As bordeaux is probably the most used fungicide at present, a few suggestions in regard to its proper mixing will not be out of place. The formula most in use at present is four pounds of copper sulphate (blue vitriol) four pounds of good lime and 50 gallons of water. The granulated form of copper sulphate should be used, and only well-burned lime which is not air slaked should be used. Be sure to use lime enough. If lime is poor or if there is any fear of bordeaux injury to the fruit add another pound of lime.

The lime and copper sulphate should be prepared in different receptacles, preferably half barrels. The copper sulphate should be held in a sack at the top of the half barrel and allowed to dissolve. Never put the copper sulphate in the bottom of the barrel. When slaking the lime add the water a little at a time so as not to kill the heat from the lime. When the slaking is completed and when the copper sulphate is all dissolved and both mixtures have been brought up to 25 gallons, they may be put together after a thorough mixing. Be sure to pour the copper sulphate into the lime, which has previously been put into a mixing barrel or the spray pump. Do not pour the lime into the copper sulphate, as the mixture obtained is not good bordeaux and will oftentimes do injury instead of being beneficial.

### TIMELY WORK IN ORCHARDS

**Farmers Should Guard Against Ravages of Mice and Rabbits—Prune During Winter Weather.**

The protection of orchards against damage by mice and rabbits is work which may well be pursued in the fall, particularly in the case of young orchards, and when that is completed the season's pruning may be begun. Fall is really the beginning of the pruning season, and there are many advantages in doing as much as possible of this work during favorable weather of early winter. About the only objection which may arise to



Enemies of Young Trees.

doing this work before spring comes from localities where the winters are cold and dry, and there it is frequently found that wounds which are made in the fall dry out during the winter to such an extent that the bark is killed for a considerable area around the wound, making the wound many times larger than it would have been otherwise.

### Tip the Raspberry Plants.

Now is the time for tipping black raspberry plants if you want to raise new plants. As the new growth bends over the ground, each tip should be buried in the soil a few inches and held in place by piling up a little earth upon it. Next spring the tips will have roots, when the plants can be cut off from the parent bushes and planted wherever they are wanted.

## MARKET REPORTS

**TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.**

**Grain Market Futures.**  
Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Oct. 2.—WHEAT—December, 92 3/4c; May, 94 1/4c.  
CORN—September, 50c; May, 52 3/4c.

**Kansas City Live Stock.**  
Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200.  
HOGS—Receipts, 1,000. Market, steady; top, \$8.05; bulk, \$7.50@8.00.

**Chicago Live Stock.**  
Chicago, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts 500. Market, weak. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.  
HOGS—Receipts, 6,000. Market, 5c higher; top, \$8.25. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.

**St. Joseph Live Stock.**  
St. Joseph, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, none.  
HOGS—Receipts, 2,200. Market, steady; top, \$8.09.

## TO UNITE SOUTH GOVERNORS

**Executives of Fourteen States Including Missouri Agree to Organize at Charleston.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Washington, Oct. 2.—Announcement was made here today that the invitation of Governor Richard I. Manning of South Carolina, to the Governors of the South to meet in Charleston at the time of the seventh annual convention of The Southern Commercial Congress to organize the House of Southern Governors, has been accepted by the executives of fourteen states.

"The South," Governor Manning states, "has its peculiar problems. The convention at Charleston comes at a time when questions of vast moment should be deliberated upon and discussed by those who are to direct and guide in the solution of these problems. The question in regard to cotton, its marketing and exportation; the subject of rural finance, with especial reference to long-time loans and short-time personal credit; the commercial advantage presented to the South through the opening of the Panama Canal and the European war—these questions, discussed by the executives of our Southern States at the time of the Charleston congress, may produce recommendations that may be called to the attention of the people of the South and present to the Congress of the United States the peculiar problems that should receive prompt attention through Federal legislative action."

Governor Manning is being assisted in the organization of the House of Southern Governors by Dr. Clarence J. Owens, managing director of The Southern Commercial Congress, who is acting as temporary secretary.

The Governors who have signified their intention of participating in the organization include those of Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee.

All former governors and the present lieutenant-governors of the Southern States have also been invited to attend the conference.

### W. B. Blachley Ill.

W. B. Blachley of West Fourth street has been seriously ill for the past week and his condition is now critical. Several weeks ago Mr. Blachley suffered a relapse from heat prostration and has been growing steadily worse from that time.

### Miss Wolfers Home.

Miss Mary Wolfers of Pickering, returned to her home today after a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. A. Corden of Burlington Junction.

### To Attend Greeley School.

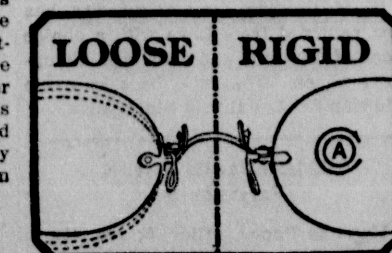
James Sheridan left this morning for Greeley, Colo., where he will spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. George Aux and attend school.

### A Peach.

Boss—Is Clerkins a good salesman? Manager—You bet! He could sell glass eyes to potatoes.—Exchange.

### An Event.

Proud Mother—Oh, James, what do you think? The twins have another tooth!—Life.



Our Key-Lock Eyeglasses and Spectacle Mounting is absolutely rigid—the lenses stay secure. No screws to loosen. No holes in the lens. It is the very best and latest. Come in.

H. T. CRANE, Jeweler and Optician, Office at Star Barn.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

### Miscellaneous

**WANTED**—Girl ushers. Apply at Star Theatre, Sunday or Monday. 2\*

**WANTED**—Waitress wanted at Merchant's Cafe. 1-3\*

Our fall line of famous Barry Shoes now on display. M. Nusbaum. 2-8.

**QUICK** and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

The Presbyterian women will hold "Parcel Post" sale Saturday at Miss Ashford's Millinery store. Parcels 25c. 30-2

**WANTED**—To furnish music for all occasions. Out of town engagements solicited. Alma M. Nash, 319 West Thompson street. 25-Oct. 4\*

We are agents for the Hatch one-button union suits for men. Most practical underwear made. M. Nusbaum. 30-2

**SALESMEN: POCKET SIDE LINE**  
**NEW LIVE PROPOSITION**, all merchants in towns of 100,000 and under want it. Pays \$5.00 commission on each sale. No collecting, no risk to merchant. We take back unsold goods. Easiest, biggest paying side line ever offered. **CANFIELD MFG. CO.**, 208 Sigel St., Chicago. 18.\*

### For Rent.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished and unfurnished rooms at \$10 East Third. Call Hanamo 3396. 1-3\*

**FOR RENT**—Extra good pasture, or will take in stock. Ed M. Walker, Farmers phone 23-0-12. 29-tf

**FOR RENT**—The Ed Keck property on West Third St. Holmes & Wolfert 18tf.

### For Sale

**FOR SALE**—15 h. p. Fairbanks Morris gasoline engine, good one. Am installing electric motor power. G. P. Bainum, Farmers phone 37-23. 29-5

**FOR SALE**—Good two-seat surrey, shafts and pole, good condition; also single seat phaeton, good condition, at Wadley Bros. Harness store. N. Sisson, Maryville. 21tf.

**FOR SALE**—S. C. Rhode Island Red pullets. Charles Viles, 1013 East Fifth. phone 6441. 30-tf

**FOR SALE OR RENT**—5-room cottage, city and well water, bath and electric lights. Dr. F. M. Martin. 6tf.

**FARM FOR SALE** by owner. 152 or 172 acres 6 miles from Kng City, 25 miles from St. Joseph. Good improvements. Easy terms. For further particulars address, Longview Farm, Union Star, Mo. 21-Oct. 5\*

**FOR SALE**—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 21tf.

### Guest at Lyle Home.

Curtis Lyle, who is employed at Omaha, came to Maryville this morning, to spend the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle. On his return to Omaha he will be accompanied by his sister, Mrs. M. J. Alderman of Omaha, who has been spending several weeks with her parents.

### Barnard Lights Delayed.

All the wires are up for electric lights at Barnard and everything in readiness except the most important feature. The dynamo has failed to arrive. It is believed that the "juice" can be turned on within twenty-four hours after it arrives. Graham has hopes for her lights early next week.

### Here From Pickering.

Miss Nellie Morford and Miss Eugenia Hull of Pickering, spent the day visiting friends in Maryville.

### LEAKY AUTOMOBILE

**Radiators Soldered**  
Be sure and bring radiator off the car. Hanamo Phone 4281.

### F. L. CURFMAN

Across Street from Star Barn.

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**Veterinary Surgeons**

All Phones



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## WANT S. S. LEAGUE

REGULAR SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ATHLETICS PROPOSED

## ASK ACTION TOMORROW

Wage Earners Appoint Man to Meet Representatives of Other Churches to Discuss Tentative Plans.

A Sunday School Athletic League is being discussed by various individual members of the five Sunday schools of Maryville and the proposition will probably be taken up by the classes tomorrow.

The Wage Earners Bible Class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church at its regular weekly meeting last night appointed I. B. Williams a committee of one to confer with President Ira Richardson of the State Normal School and with members of the other Sunday schools with reference to athletics.

Basketball would be the first game to be taken up. Under the plan as discussed a schedule of twenty weeks would be played, giving each team sixteen games and permitting them to meet each other team four times. The first thing to be decided is getting a place to play.

President Richardson said this morning that he would take the matter under advisement. The difficulty is that the high school team will use the Normal gymnasium as well as the Normal team and the arranging of another night for a Sunday school league would keep the building open many nights.

Other tentative plans discussed are to have the winners of the Sunday School League meet the champions of the Sunday School basketball league of St. Joseph or for an all-star team from each organization to compete. Such an activity on the part of the schools has always been found to be a most effective spur to regular attendance as eligibility to enter games depends upon it.

Mr. Williams is asking today that each Sunday school, particularly the young men's classes, take up the matter tomorrow and appoint a committee man to meet with him for the discussion of preliminary plans and to decide whether such an organization can be formed.

It is hoped that indoor baseball could be taken up and a schedule played following the basketball season next spring and that a baseball team from each Sunday school could compete in a series of games next summer. A tennis tournament under the auspices of such a Sunday school league is also proposed.

## MAYOR VS. COUNCIL AGAIN

Next Series of Discussions on Selection of Successor to H. L. Raines Due Tonight.

The next number of the serial now being acted by the members of the city council and Mayor U. S. Wright, entitled "The Councilmanic Succession to H. L. Raines," will be shown—and heard—at the city hall tonight. It is expected that the A. C. I. U. (All cursors in use) sign will have to be hung out early.

The by-laws of the city council provide that that body shall meet on the first Friday in each month. Forseeing that the controversy would arise between the mayor and members of the council as to the proper method of electing a successor to H. L. Raines, who removed from the Third ward, the calendar kindly put Friday and Champ Clark day on the first day of the month this October and our suspense was prolonged a day.

## INDICTED FOR ARSON.

Mayor of Webster Groves and Eight Insurance Men Face Charge. Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—Roy Tidd, mayor of Webster Groves and president of the Nixon-Jones Printing Co., was arrested for arson today on a true bill from the grand jury of St. Louis county. Eight insurance men were indicted with him.

The printing plant burned a month ago just after \$30,000 additional insurance had been taken out.

## To Spend Day.

Mrs. W. E. Goforth and children, Doris Marie and Donald Kent, went to Bolckow this morning to spend the day visiting relatives.

## Miss Hopkins to St. Joseph.

Miss Carrie Hopkins went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day visiting.

## NEW CONFERENCE ON MEXICO

Representatives of Villa and Carranza Will Meet Latin America Republic Ministers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, Oct. 2.—General Maytorena and his staff who were released today at Nogales, Ariz., will come at once to this city where they will represent Villa at the conference of the Latin American Republics.

Both Carranza and Villa are very busy pulling wires and making arrangements preparatory to the conference next Saturday morning October 9.

## M. H. S. WINS 25-2

PICKERING GOOD AT CHASING BALLS THAT LOCALS SLUGGED

## LOTS OF FUN FOR CROWD

Showing of Maryville Team Augurs Well for Real Season Next Spring—Basketball in a Week.

It was supposed to be a ball game but the crowd of 150 who attended chose to take it humorously. Seven innings were played between Maryville and Pickering high schools yesterday afternoon and the runs scored by the former were thus, by innings, 3, 5, 4, 4, 8, 1. So you understand.

Yes, Pickering did score. The local boys grew careless in the sixth and two runs filtered across. That made the crowd enjoy it more. Rice started the game as pitcher for Pickering. When he got tired in the fourth, the battery was reversed and Moon, the catcher, took the mound. Evidently Moon's arm was made of green cheese as eight runs in his inning will testify. In the latter part of the fifth, Hanna, their big left-handed third baseman, took charge of ceremonies and forbade the fireworks. The scoring of but one run in his inning would seem to show that a different tale might have been to tell had he started the game. Hanna also got a good hand from the crowd for his great try for a high foul back of third.

The rest of the Pickering line-up which was brought down by Prof. Albert Harris, principal of the high school there, was: Lett, 1st; G. McKee, 2nd; Fakes, ss; Ed McKee, lf; Gray, cf; Byron, rf; Williams, sub. The Maryville team looked good. All fielded their positions well and in running the bases they were specially alert. When the bases were full in the third, three runs were scored on three straight wild throws. The team looks good for next spring when real baseball will start. Basketball practice will start in another week at the high school.

## HUGE CROWD AT MT. TABOR

Everyone Congratulating Everybody Else.—Great Weather, Big Dinner and Fine Speakers.

"Yes, we're mighty proud of the new school house," "Miss Walton, you are to be congratulated." "Let's make Mt. Tabor as fine a community center as Harmony." "This is an auspicious occasion." "Well, it sure is worth the \$1,600."

These and many other such expressions have been heard many, many times around the new school building at Mt. Tabor today as the model country school house, the pride of that district and of the county, was dedicated.

Everything was a success. The declamations of the children, the big dinner, and the addresses were all that could be wished for. It will become just a plain school house in which all the "kids" will be learning the three R's after Monday morning.

A large crowd was there as the day and weather was all that could be asked for. Prof. T. B. Maulding had the Elmo band there to furnish all the music when the Braddyville orchestra was not playing. It is thought that a large part of Lincoln township was there with well-filled baskets and eager to see the new schoolhouse.

## To Visit in Colorado.

Miss Mary Herwick will leave tomorrow morning for Denver, Colo., where she will spend a month visiting her uncle, James Kane and family. Before returning Miss Herwick will visit at other places of interest in the west.

Miss Laura Miller went to Bolckow today to visit over Sunday with home folks.

## KEEP MO. DAY HERE BIG SERIES FRIDAY

FIRST OFFICIAL DAY WILL BE RED SOX AND PHILLIES TO FIGHT IT OUT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

## WILL DISPLAY THE FLAG ALL EYES ON ALEXANDER

D. A. R. Promotes Movement.—Business Houses and Homes to Be Decorated with Emblems.

The official observance of the first Monday in October as "Missouri Day," since an act of the state legislature made it a special day of commemoration, will be on Monday and all the people of the city, the business houses and schools will give their patriotic spirit full sway and will celebrate the day in a fitting manner.

The merchants of the city are planning to decorate in various ways and in every case to display their national flag.

The local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is promoting the movement and they have asked all the residents of the city to display flags both at their business houses and homes.

A special program was given at the D. A. R. meeting this afternoon when Missouri's history and her famous people were the subject of discussion.

The bill which made the first Monday in October of each year known as "Missouri Day" was presented by Mrs. F. N. Korn of Trinton, Mo., and passed the General Assembly March 19, of this year. In this respect, Missouri is following the ways of many of the other states in setting apart an annual day of observance.

## PELZER FRAUDS GROWING

Band Notes and Fake Deeds of Trust Already Over \$200,000.—Insurance Will Cover All

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Oct. 2.—Disclosures of the amounts mislaid by T. C. Pelzer the real estate dealer who was killed when he fell from a window here Thursday, continue to be made. The family has announced that his insurance money will be used to take up the papers and square the accounts.

As his policies were for \$425,000, it is almost certain that they will cover all losses. The exact amount cannot be known until the books are checked but duplicate deeds of trust and fraudulent notes now total more than \$200,000.

The books show that \$600,000 worth of fraudulent notes have been issued in the last five years. It is believed that confederates helped him who are living and the grand jury will investigate.

## IN NEW BUILDING SOON.

Standard Poland-China Record Association to Its New Home About November 1.

The Standard Poland-China Record Association is expecting to move into its new building, east of the postoffice about November 1, according to Ray Davis, secretary of the association. Mr. Davis ordered the new furniture for the building yesterday in Kansas City.

Mr. Davis has been attending this week the tri-state fair at Memphis, Tenn., of the states of Kentucky, Tennessee and Mississippi, and the Missouri state fair at Sedalia.

## ATTRACTED ATTENTION.

St. Louis Republic Says That N. Sisson of Maryville, Prominent at G. A. R. Reunion.

N. Sisson of Maryville, who attended the reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic at Washington, D. C., this week, attracted especial attention, according to the St. Louis Republic. The following is what that paper says in a dispatch from Washington:

Two members of the Missouri delegation, Past Commander N. Sisson of Maryville and S. D. Webster of St. Louis, are attracting especial attention here. Commander Sisson is given the credit of having sounded the bugle call that ended the war at Appomattox courthouse.

Kansas City landed the 1916 meeting of the reunion.

## To Visit at Clearmont.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory went to Clearmont this morning to spend a few days visiting her son, O. O. Gregory and family and her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Bancroft.

## RED SOX AND PHILLIES TO FIGHT IT OUT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. New York, Oct. 2.—The National Commission this morning, decided that the first game of the world's series would be played Friday, October 8, and that this game and the second one would be at Philadelphia. The next two games on Monday and Tuesday, October 11 and 12, will be played at Boston, the fifth game at Philadelphia on Wednesday, and the sixth game at Boston, and the seventh, if necessary, will be decided by flip of coin. The umpires will be Rigler and Klem of the National League and Evans and O'Laughlin of the American League.

## Greatest Pitcher of Year Faces Heavy Task as Opponents Are Stronger on Paper.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. The "Phlying" Phillies clinched the National league pennant early in the week by Alexander's one-hit game against last year's world's champions.

Thursday Carl Wellman of the Browns, whom Detroit has beaten but once this year, landed the ironclad title to the Red Sox while they were idle by beating Detroit the runners-up.

And now for a week we'll revel in "dope." The Red Sox have all the edge on paper but the Phillies have the same old fight that the Boston Braves had last year—and Alexander. Odds are 6 to 5 in the betting fraternity in New York on Boston.

What New York Experts Think. The classiest pitching staff that ever battled under one standard versus a pitching staff composed of one real star and several ordinary twirlers—that's the way the Red Sox and Phillies size up in pitching departments, according to Frank G. Menke, expert and chief sporting writer of the International News Service.

Grover Cleveland Alexander stands out today as the greatest defensive pitcher in the game. The Sox have a wonder hurler in Joe Wood, yet even Wood must yield first place to the pitching star of the Phillies.

Alexander has asked to work in the first four games of the world series—but Manager Pat Moran has turned down this amazing request. He undoubtedly, will pitch the opener and will be sent to the mound again for the third game. The result of the duelling up to that time will decide Moran as to when to work Alexander again.

## The Men Who Will Compete.

Forty-five men will figure in the split of the World Series spoils. Of those, 23 are Phillies and the other 22 are Red Sox. The players eligible for World Series duty follow:

Red Sox: Pitchers, (8)—Wood, Leonard, Collins, Shore, Ruth, Mays, Foster and Gregg. Catchers, (3)—Carrigan, (Manager) Cady, Thomas.

Infielders, (7)—Hoblitzell, Gainer, Barry, Scott, Janvrin, Wagner and Gardner. Outfielders, (4)—Speakers, Hooper, Lewis, Henriksen.

Phillies: Pitchers, (8)—Alexander, Mayer, Demaree, Chalmers, Tincup, Baumgartner, Rixey, McQuillen.

Catchers, (3)—Killifer, Burns, Adams.

Infielders, (6)—Luderus, Niehoff, Bancroft, Byrne, Dugue, Stock.

Outfielders, (5)—Cravath, Paskert, Whitte, Becker, Weiser.

Manager—Patrick Joan Moran.

## HOLD HAMMOND RITES.

Funeral Services Conducted This Morning at Wesley Chapel.

Funeral services for Clarence S. Hammond, who died Thursday morning at St. Francis hospital, were held this morning at the Wesley Chapel church west of Maryville. The service was conducted by the Rev. M. Dewitt of Skidmore and the body was buried in the Cain cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Townsend of Oklahoma City, will arrive in Maryville Monday noon to visit their son, R. K. Townsend and family. They will also visit Mr. Townsend's brother, S. H. Townsend and his sisters, Mrs. C. C. Hooker and Mrs. J. N. Manley and families.

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday probably showers north portion. Warmer tonight east and south portion.

## OPENS CABINET WITH PRAYER

All Secretaries Kneel as President Wilson Prayed, Says Methodist Bishop.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Indianapolis, Oct. 2.—Bishop Anderson, in addressing the Methodist Episcopal Conference at Cincinnati, said that the President of the United States opens his cabinet meetings with prayer.

According to the Bishop, Woodrow Wilson said at the opening of a recent cabinet meeting: "I do not know whether you men believe in prayer or not. I do. Let us ask God's guidance and help before beginning our deliberations."

The entire cabinet knelt while President Wilson prayed.

## NEW DRIVE COMING

FRENCH SAY GERMANS ARE NOW EXHAUSTED BY ATTACKS

## USED 3,000,000 SHELLS

Allied Success Continues in Every District and Lens Is Within Striking Distance.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The war office announcements continue to tell of successes. The assaults by the Allies in Artois and Champagne have been renewed with a full force and further gains are reported from those fronts.

The French have advanced to the Le Folie heights southeast of Souchez and the Germans were dislodged from their trenches in the woods south of Givenchy. Continued success is reported north of Le Mesnil and near Massiges.

After allowing the Germans to exhaust themselves in counter attacks, the Allies began a series of fresh assaults in the regions of Arras, Ypres, La Basselle, Champagne and Argonne.

The French lines are now within striking distance of Lens. More than three million shells have been fired within the last week and great artillery duels still continue. Another big drive is expected soon by the Allied forces.

## DEAD ESTIMATED 300 TO 550

Tidal Waves Along Coast Flooded Towns in 16 Feet of Water 50 Ships Left Far Inland Wrecked

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New Orleans, Oct. 2.—With the restoring of some communication with towns and cities in the Gulf region, the estimates of the dead now range from 300 to 500. Newspaper correspondents returning from the storm swept country say that tidal waves, 16 feet deep, flooded most of the towns along the coast.

Reports from the devastated district also indicates that at least fifty schooners were swept inland by the wave and wrecked. Their hulls were left high upon land as the water receded.

Street cars are operating here today almost normally and the electric light service will be partly restored tonight.

The exact list of known dead is now 224 with more than a thousand missing. Many sections are still under fifteen feet of water. Rice plantations have been destroyed and the houses washed away.

The relief work is proceeding rapidly. Hundreds are marooned on levees, many of which are damaged beyond repair.

Lausang and Bernstorff Confer. Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Oct. 2.—Secretary of State Lausang and German Ambassador Von Bernstorff conferred here today. Lausang refused to say what happened but admitted that a further conference would be held next week.

## 'T WAS BIG DAY FOR DEMOCRATS

GREAT OVATIONS AT ST. JOSEPH FOR CLARK, STONE AND REED.

## BLAGG MENTIONED FOR NEXT GOVERNOR

Maryville and Nodaway Make a Hit With Band and Large Delegation Chairman Honor to County.

Champ Clark day at St. Joseph yesterday, was a great success and will go down in history as one of the notable events in Democratic state politics. And a more magnificent attendance could not have been asked for the auditorium being packed for both the afternoon and evening speaking.

Maryville and Nodaway county made a hit at the meeting with their big delegation and the Fourth Regiment band of this city. As soon as the delegation arrived in St. Joseph yesterday morning, they marched from Francis street station to the Robidoux hotel headed by Mr. Blagg, Judge W. C. Ellison and George B. Baker, with the band following. There were over 150 in the parade. The party received a great ovation at the hotel and the band played a number of pieces in the lobby of the hotel. Maryville's representation at the gathering was the largest sent by any part of the state, considering population.

There were delegations at the meeting from all over the state especially from the northwest part. The Maryville party returned home this morning about two o'clock on a special train from St. Joseph. The train ran as far as Hopkins. A few members of the party stayed over night in St. Joseph and returned today at noon.

All of the Democratic officials of the state, many of the congressmen, members of the Democratic state committee, state leaders and many would-be candidates were also in attendance. The name of Mr. Blagg was frequently mentioned at the meeting in connection with the governorship.

## Blagg's Opening Speech.

W. A. Blagg was the chairman of the meeting and was greeted with cheers as he arose to speak.

"The Republicans of Missouri are in the realm of speculation when they say they are going to carry this state by 60,000 next year," said Blagg. "They're not talking to me! The best refutation of their boast is this outpouring of Democratic spirit."

"The Republicans are now drawing an indictment against us. They expect to follow it with an ouster proceeding. But the party that is entrenched behind the great interests of the country that throughout its many years of power put this nation in a condition of economic chaos, will hardly be permitted to realize that ambition."

"This is a successful meeting. You said you were going to bring 'em here from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky, and I'm glad they didn't come. I'm happy to be with home folks."

In the afternoon Senator J. A. Reed, ex-Governor David R. Francis of St. Louis and Governor Major spoke. Reed discussed national issues; Francis predicted a wave of great prosperity and talked national finance; Major discussed Wilson, saying he was for "reasonable preparedness and was willing to let the President determine what that was." The remainder of his speech was devoted to defending attacks that had been made on the state administration. The governor appeared somewhat exercised over criticisms of the last administration. He discussed at length the controversy over the public school money.

## Great Ovation for Clark.

At the meeting Champ Clark, Speaker and guest of honor with Senator Stone, were the speakers. Clark got a big reception, the crowd rising and cheering several minutes. Here is what the Speaker said:

"The people seem to have absolute confidence in the pilot of the ship of

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**Nat C. Goodwin, in**  
**"BUSINESS IS BUSINESS" Six Acts, 7:20, 8:30**  
**and 9:30 Tonight, Fern, 5 and 10c**  
**Tue-day Francis X. Bushman**



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#### Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county, as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district subject to the primary election to be held August 5, 1916.

#### THE BIG ENOUGH MAN.

Missouri is a Democratic state and must be kept Democratic.

Just now the rank and file of the party are casting about for candidates to put forward in 1916. There was a time when the "fixers" of both parties met in secret session and selected the tickets.

But the people are now in the saddle. Every member of the Democratic party, from the humblest to the highest, has a voice in the selection of party candidates, but "they do say" that the republican "fixers" are still on the job.

Missouri can be kept Democratic by naming candidates for state offices big enough for the position, and who are on good terms with the people.

There are a thousand Democrats in Missouri who would fill the governor's office ideally. There are perhaps, 990 who could not be elected if nominated, because of this or that handicap, lack of acquaintance, one-sided statesmen, and so on and on.

The Democrats must have a strong, acceptable man to head the ticket next year. The party can "carry no load." Every American has a right to aspire, but no Democrat, after "measuring himself and finding points of weakness," should permit his ambition to stand in the way of party success. Personal sacrifice is better than party defeat.

The Journal has no friend to reward or enemy to punish in the naming of a candidate for governor—it is absolutely "heart and fancy free," and is seeking only the "big enough man" who can secure the full party strength at the polls.

The people are talking, they are "dissecting," and no point of weakness will be overlooked; the business interests of the state are demanding the "big enough man."

Who is he?—Hannibal Journal.

The above expresses the sentiment of the Democrat-Forum.

#### After Wilcox Hill Now.

The Wabash will have a large machine, which has been shipped from Indiana, at work on the Wilcox hill next week. There is a large force of men at work on the track near Wilcox now and considerable improvement will be made there before winter. At present the dirt which has been washed into the ditches and cuts by the rains this summer is being cleaned out.—Burlington Junction Post.

#### Five Brothers Get Iron Cross.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Dresden, Oct. 2.—A Saxon veteran of the war of 1870-71, Capt. Paul Sievert, enjoys the unique distinction of being the father of five sons who have all been decorated with the iron cross for their bravery in the present war. Four have also received the Saxon Albrecht Order and the fifth is proposed for this decoration.

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#### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## 'Twas Big Day FOR DEMOCRATS

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state—Woodrow Wilson—and are not likely to drop him overboard in mid-ocean while the storm whips the waters into fury. He did his duty. The Democratic House did its duty. The Democratic Senate did its duty. We submit that we deserve well of the Republic—all of us. Having discharged our duty and been faithful to our trust, the people will assume that we will do our duty and be faithful even to the end.

"In two brief years we placed on the statute books more constructive legislation of the most highly beneficial character than the Republicans enacted in two decades—legislation so good that in addition to Democratic votes, nearly all the Progressives and a large per cent of the regular Republicans voted for the great constructive measures.

"We passed a great tariff bill—the greatest ever placed upon the statute books.

"The Democrats, with the assistance of patriotic Progressives and a patriotic contingent of Republicans, placed on the statute books the National Reserve Bank Act, which is now praised by all business men.

"We passed an anti-trust law which tends to promote legitimate business and crush illegitimate.

"Under the new law trusts are being dissolved and rearranging their business on a legitimate basis."

Senator Stone was the other speaker at the night meeting. He talked on "practical politics." He said the party hadn't paid enough attention to getting candidates from every corner of the state and had weakened the ticket thereby. He admonished them to be more careful in the future.

## The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

#### SOME RELISHES.

**SWEET GHERKINS.**—Fill a tub with salt water strong enough to bear up an egg. Put gherkins not over a finger long in this and let them stand nine days. Take them out and harden them by letting them stand in fresh cold water for several hours; then spread them out on a folded tablecloth to free them of moisture. Pack them in glass quart jars, fill with cold vinegar and set them aside for three weeks in a cool place; then open the jars, drain off the vinegar and to that of each jar add one cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of extract of mace and the same of extract of cloves and cinnamon and cayenne pepper to taste. Stir until the sugar is dissolved, pour the liquid over the pickles, close the jars and set in a cool place.

**Pickled Beets That Will Keep.**—Six beets, two ounces of whole peppers, two pints of vinegar, one blade of mace, one-half ounce of whole ginger and twelve cloves. Wash beets carefully, taking care not to break the fiber or they will bleed and lose their color. Boil them in plenty of boiling salted water for one hour and a half. Take them up, peel and cut them in slices an eighth of an inch thick and put them in a jar. Boil one pint of the vinegar with the whole peppers, mace, cloves and ginger and when boiled for five minutes add to it the other pint of cold vinegar.

**Mango Pepper Relish.**—Seven large mango peppers (five green, two red), one fine grained (large) cabbage, one-third cupful of salt, one cupful of sugar, two heaping tablespoonsful whole white mustard seed, vinegar enough to cover. Run peppers through meat grinder, using finest gauge. Squeeze all the juice from the chopped peppers and put them into a porcelain or granite pan. Grind cabbage, mix all together thoroughly. Barely cover with vinegar.

**Apple Pickle.**—Cut sweet apples, after paring, into pieces the right size to go into cans. Cook in water until tender, then put into cans and keep warm while the pickle is heating. Boil together two pounds of sugar, one pint of vinegar, one-half ounce each of cinnamon bark and cloves. Put the spice in a bag. Turn over the cooked apples in the cans while hot and seal. Use more sugar if apples are sour and be careful not to cook too long.

*Anna Thompson*

#### Taking Pains.

"You say she takes pains to conceal the size of her feet? What do you mean?"

"I mean she wears shoes two sizes too small for her. If that isn't taking pains what is?"—Houston Post.

#### A Long Pennant.

The "home-ard bounder" is the pennant hoisted by a warship when she gets orders to return from a foreign port. The cruiser Denver in 1909 drew one 350 feet long on the voyage in from a three years' eastern cruise.

#### Whalebone.

About half a ton of whalebone is obtained from one whale, its value being, roughly, \$5,000.

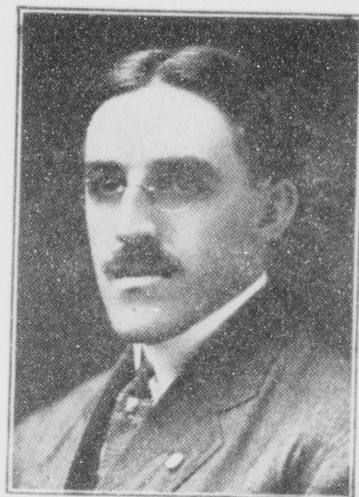
## Sunday Services at Local Churches

Buchanan Street Methodist.  
R. C. Holliday, pastor.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at 10:45 a. m. on "The Bible," and in the evening at 7:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.  
206 South Main.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Unreality." No evening worship on Sunday. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in Michau building open each afternoon from two till five o'clock. Every one invited to the services and to the use of the reading room.

First Presbyterian.  
William Moll Case, pastor.  
Church school at 9:45 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock at which will be celebrated the Holy Communion service. Young People's Club meeting at 6:30 o'clock, subject of study, "A Worth While Program for the Year," with Phillip Colbert, leader. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock subject of pastor's sermon, "The Best Thing in the World."

First Christian.  
Robert L. Finch, pastor.  
E. E. Elliott of St. Louis, an officer of the general convention of the Christian church and one active in the Christian Board of Publication, will preach tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the



E. E. ELLIOTT.

First Christian church. Mr. Elliott is the author of several religious works. The usual Sunday school service will be held at 9:30 o'clock, and the morning worship and communion at 10:45. At this hour, Mrs. F. P. Robinson will give a report of the recent national convention of Christian churches held at Los Angeles, Cal., which she attended. Special music will be given and at the evening hour, the choir under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, will give the musical cantata, "Messiah Victorious."

#### First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.  
"Promotion Day" exercises will be the program given at the Sunday school which meets at the regular hour of 9:30 o'clock. The graded work for the year will be started at this time and the various classes promoted into the new study. Regular morning worship at 10:45 o'clock, subject of the pastor's sermon "Fellowship." The service will also be a communion one. Choir anthem, "Give us peace," Shelley. Mr. Cox will sing the solo, "Babylon" by Marston. Subject of evening sermon at 7:30 o'clock, "The Great Invitation." Special music.

#### First Baptist.

Lewis M. Hale, pastor.  
Bible school 9:30 a. m. What do we want? We want every member of the church and every member of the Bible school and as many of their friends as possible to be at the church at 9:30, and those who cannot be there at 9:30 get there as soon as you can. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Tragedy of an Absence." Special music including anthem by the choir and solo by Mrs. Westbrook.

Bring your lunch with you and stay at the church for the hour and a half of good fellowship. If you have no one to fix lunch for you come anyway and we will gladly share with you. Afternoon program begins promptly at two o'clock, including devotional service, reports from the various departments of the church for the past year, and finally an old fashioned praise service in which all may have a part.

This is our annual Home Coming. All members of the church are expected to be present, and all other folk have a cordial invitation. There will be no evening service, except the B. Y. P. U. at 7:30.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## PRODIGIOUS COST OF EUROPEAN WAR

Divine Foresaw Great Conflict Two Years Ago.

### HIS PROPHECY FULFILLED.

One Year Has Cost More Than Estimated Value of All Property of United States West of Mississippi. Would Pay National Debts of All Nations.

Philadelphia.—Rev. Dr. J. Henry Smythe, editor, author, traveler, lecturer, chancellor of the American university, Tennessee, two years ago last February made the following startling prophecy while speaking at Knoxville: "One hundred years or more ago Napoleon, in the fiery flush of manhood's morning, was master of all France. The Egyptian and the Austrian campaigns were over. Russia was invaded, England was threatened. Spain was subjugated.

"The whole continent of Europe was prostrate and paralyzed. Millions of armed men were in the field, and conflict and carnage raged from the Tiber to the Thames. But Nelson pounded Napoleon on the sea, and Wellington pounded him upon the land, and together they pounded him to pieces. Elba and Waterloo were but the blood stained stepping stones to St. Helena.

"If you will stand with me tonight at the hinges of history and look along the sky line of current events you will see that war is simmering in every arsenal of Europe and every wave that breaks upon the shore is red with blood. Yet Tientsin and Port Arthur, Havana harbor and Manila bay were but the shifting scenery, moved by the hidden hand of God, in the awful and unending tragedy of time."

"We estimate the cash cost of the European war to Aug. 1, 1915, at \$17,000,000,000," says Dr. Smythe, "while other known losses will amount up to make a grand total of \$46,000,000,000. No one can have even the faintest conception of what \$46,000,000,000 may be. It is four times all the coin in the world. If this sum were measured out in twenty dollar gold pieces and they were placed side by side on the railway track, on each rail, they would cover with gold every line from New York to the Pacific ocean, the two Canadian lines included. There would be enough left over to cover each rail of the Siberian railway from Vladivostok to Petrograd. There would still remain sufficient to rehabilitate Belgium and to buy the whole of Turkey, at her own valuation, wiping her finally and forever from the map.

"Or we may figure in some other fashion. The average workman in America earns \$518 per year. It would take 90,000,000 years' work to pay the cost of the war up to date, or 60,000,000 American laborers might pay it off in one year if all their living expenses were paid.

"The cost of a year of the great war is a little more than the estimated value of all the property of the United States west of the Mississippi river. It is nearly equal to the total value of all the property in Germany, \$48,000,000,000, as estimated in 1901. The whole Russian empire, \$35,000,000,000, could have been bought for a less sum before the war began. It could be had on a spot cash sale, more cheaply now. This sum would have paid for all the property in Italy, \$13,000,000,000; Japan, \$10,000,000,000; Holland, \$5,000,000,000; Belgium, \$7,000,000,000; Spain, \$6,000,000,000; and Portugal, \$2,500,000,000. It is three times the entire yearly earnings in wages and salaries of the people of the United States, \$15,500,000,000.

"The first year's cost of this war would pay the national debts of all the nations in the world at the time the war broke out. If all the farms, farming lands and factories in the United States were wiped out of existence the cost of this war would more than replace them. If all the personal and real property of half our nation were destroyed or if an earthquake of incredible dimensions should shake down every house from the Atlantic to the Pacific the waste would be less than that involved in this war up to date. And such an elemental catastrophe would leave behind it no costly legacy of hate.

"And then the aftermath—good God the aftermath!"

#### PINE ENRICHES INDIANS.

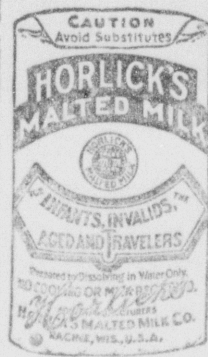
Chippewas Get Property Valued at \$820,500.

Ashland, Wis.—Pine timber valued at \$820,500 on the Bad River reservation, near Ashland, will be distributed among 547 Indians, many of whom are children, according to official notice received by the Indian office from the secretary of the interior.

In addition to the timber each Indian will have title to the land on which the timber stands, averaging about eighty acres for each person.

It is claimed by government experts that the Chippewa Indians of the Bad River reservation are the richest tribe in America, with one exception. They have more than \$1,500,000 to their credit in the vaults of Ashland and Duluth from the sale of pine from former allotments.

H. E. Nicholas of Burlington Junction, took cattle to St. Joseph yesterday.



## HORLICK'S

THE ORIGINAL  
MALTED MILK  
THE FOOD-DRINK FOR ALL AGES  
TAKE A PACKAGE HOME  
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#### Praise for Woman's Edition.

The woman's edition of the Maryville Democrat-Forum of last Saturday was a daisy, 24 pages chuck full of what women would do—but they told the truth in an article, where they acknowledged that minding the baby wasn't such a bad job after all.—Ravenwood Gazette.

The Woman's Edition of the Maryville Daily Democrat-Forum, published Saturday, was a very creditable work. It contained twenty-four interesting pages, and the different departments prove that the women of Maryville have a real interest in the upbuilding of their town.—Burlington Junction Post.

The Federation of Women's clubs of Maryville, edited the Maryville Democrat-Forum last Saturday, and they put out a twenty-four page paper. It was a dandy, too, chuck full of news of all kinds and best of all, as far as money goes, it was well patronized by the merchants in the way of advertising. If the Democrat-Forum manager could retain the parties that had the management of the ad department for that day he would sure make the paper the best paying institution in the county.—Clearmont News.

The club women of Maryville who have been active in the welfare of their city for a number of years past, last Saturday issued the edition of the Daily Democrat-Forum, and as in most of their efforts they had undertaken heretofore they were gratifyingly successful. The number consisted of 24 pages, all filled with bright, interesting and well written copy. The effort was made for the benefit of the women's rest room there, and we hope they made as much money as they deserve. Women are winners.—Albany Ledger.

#### The "Why" of Cover Crops.

Cover crops can be converted into hay.

The legumes gather nitrogen from the air for the building up of the soil. Winter cover crops—

Protect soil from washing.  
Prevent soil from blowing away.  
Prevent soluble plant food from being lost by leaching.

Furnish winter and early spring grazing.  
Enrich the soil by adding vegetable matter and humus.

#### Loyal to James.

One does not often hear of feminine protest against the military note in prevalent fashions of dress. But a certain jokesmith offers this:

"Why, my dear, how sober you look! There isn't a single bright color about you."

"No; I thought that now James is in the diplomatic service I had better wear neutral tints."

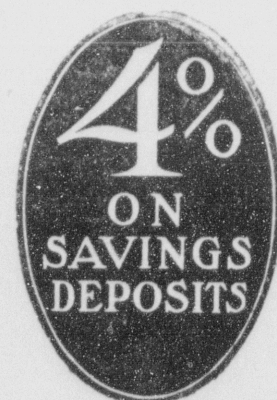
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### Worth While.

It is easy enough to be pleasant,  
When life flows along like a song,  
But the man worth while is the one  
who will smile.

When everything goes dead wrong,  
For the test of the heart is trouble,  
And it always comes with the years,  
And the smile that is worth the praises  
of earth,

Is the smile that shines through  
tears.

It is easy enough to be prudent,

When nothing tempts you to stray,  
When without or within no voice of sin  
Is luring your soul away;  
But it's only a negative virtue  
Until it is tried by fire,  
And the life that is worth all the  
honors of earth,  
Is the one that resists desire.

But the cynic, the sad, and the fallen,  
Who had no strength for the strife,  
The world's highway is cumbered to-  
day,

They make up the sum of life,  
But the virtue that conquers passion,  
And the sorrow that hides in a smile,  
It is these that are worth all the  
homage of earth  
For we find them but once in awhile.  
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

### Music Department to Meet.

The music department of the Twentieth Century club will hold its first meeting of the season at three o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. F. Harvey on North Main street.

### Chosen as District Officers.

Mrs. Catherine Miller of West Third street was chosen second vice president of the Northwest Missouri District Women's Relief Corps at the annual convention which closed in St. Joseph yesterday. Other district officers chosen from the Maryville Corps were Mrs. Minnie Farrar, guard, and Mrs. Fidelia Gearhart, assistant guard. The next annual convention will be held in Maryville in September of 1916. Mrs. Mary Lingle of Cameron, was elected president of the district.

### To Hold Annual Bazaar.

At the meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Buchanan Street church held yesterday afternoon, plans were made for the annual yuletide bazaar which is one of the events of the fall and winter work. The various heads of the committees are Mrs. M. A. Peery, fancy booth; Mrs. M. L. Hopper, and Mrs. M. E. Farrar, aprons and miscellaneous; Mrs. W. T. Gray, delicatessen and market booth and Mrs. Ed. T. Dale, home made candy. The women are busy at work making pretty things which will be for sale at this bazaar.

### Mr. and Mrs. Mutz Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz entertained the members of the I. X. L. embroidery club, their husbands and a few other friends with a game party last night at the Mutz home. Various guessing contests on the weight and number of different articles, caused much merriment and domino games were also played. The home was brightened with quantities of nasturtiums and they were also used to decorate the luncheon tables. The hosts were assisted by their daughters, Miss-

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## MOTHER! YOUR CHILD IS CROSS FEVERISH, FROM CONSTIPATION

If Tongue Is Coated, Breath Bad, Stomach Sour, Clean Liver and Bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mother can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

10-1-15.

es Lou, Jeanette and Isora Mutz, in entertaining. The special guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Lou Holt, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Compton and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz and two daughters.

### For Mrs. Whedbee.

Mrs. C. H. Airy and daughter, Miss Golda Airy, have as their house guest for a few days, Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., and last night in honor of their visitor they gave a dinner at which the additional guests were Mrs. W. T. Garrett and Miss Jennie Garrett and today as another pleasure for Mrs. Whedbee, they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, and son, William, and Mrs. John Bantz at luncheon.

### Praises Special Edition.

One of the most highly appreciated compliments given the club women's special edition of the Democrat-Forum issued September 25, was received yesterday from Mrs. Anna Messenger in a letter written to Mrs. VanCleave, in which she expresses her commendation and the especial enjoyment which the reading of the paper has been to her. Mrs. Messenger is one of the "shut-in" friends, whose praise is particularly pleasing to the workers on the special edition. One of the articles used this week, that was held over from the club issue is "In the Shade of the Old Maple Tree," and its authorship was credited to the editor of the paper. This is an error as the writing is that of Mrs. Messenger's daughter, the late Marcia M. Messenger who was for years a member of The Democrat-Forum force. Many of the people mentioned in the story were personal friends of the writer and the reading of it has brought many dear memories of the time when Miss Messenger lived and worked among them.

### Report of Elm Grove School.

Report of Elm Grove school, district No. 82, for month beginning September 6, and ending October 1, 1915.  
Total enrollment, 17.  
Average daily attendance, 16.1.  
Number attending every day, 9.  
Number of cases of tardiness, 1.  
Number of visitors, 1.

The following pupils were neither absent or tardy during the month: Fay Baker, Frank Baker, Elva Aley, Grace Coburn, Nellie Coburn, Thelma Mann, Mariam Catterson, Halbert Catterson. Visitors always welcome.  
Maybird Carver, teacher.

### Big Wolf Chase at Wilcox.

There was quite an exciting time in the country about four miles east of town Monday night when a pack of thirty-four hounds made a run for some wolves. The hounds struck the trail early in the evening and followed it for several hours. They chased the wolves over in the vicinity of Wilcox but were unable to come up with them. The big pack was made up of hounds from College Springs and Braddyville, Iowa. Bert Mitchell's hounds were also in the chase.—Burlington Junction Post.

### Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

### Buys Imported Sheep.

W. M. Golding, west of the city, has just returned from Iowa with a choice flock of imported and pure bred Shropshire sheep. This will be a valuable addition for Lyndhurst Stock farm.

G. H. LEACH, D. V. S.  
Maryville, Mo.

Hanamo Phone, office, 5; res. 459.  
Farmers' phone, office, 160; res. 160.

CHARLES E. STILLWELL,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR  
AT LAW.  
Office over Farmers Trust Company,  
Maryville, Mo.

## DESTROY LITTLE RED MITES

Hen Is Powerless to Protect Herself From Ravages of Vermin—Egg-Laying Out of Question.

There is no poultry parasite that our feathered friends are less powerful to combat than the common red mite. The body lice can be kept in check by the hen if she has her liberty, because she will frequently find a good dusting place and proceed to cleanse herself and make things very uncomfortable for the lice. But on account of her attachment to her home, no matter how poor it is, she will go back every night to infested roosts and allow the mites to crawl upon her and suck her lifeblood. Poor biddy is powerless to protect herself and unless friend man steps in and does something for her she soon becomes emaciated and dejected, and egg-laying is entirely out of the question. The red mite is one of the most common causes of no eggs when there ought to be some eggs.

Cleanliness in the coop is an important factor in the control of the mite, as it will hide under filth, droppings and litter, as well as in cracks and crevices of the roosts and nests. Clean coops, however, are not entirely free from infestation and may even become seriously infested if not given treatment. Spraying is a common means of control, creosol sprays or kerosene emulsion being recommended. On account of being unable to accomplish thorough work by spraying it is necessary to spray frequently in order to keep the mites in check.

Probably the most thorough method of control is by fumigation. The fumes will permeate every part of the coop and kill all the mites, regardless of whether they are in the litter or on the roosts. As all of the mites are killed the treatment will be effective for a long time, as it will be some time before a coop will become infested again. The fumigation method is the easiest one to control the mites. All that is necessary is to place the proper amount of fumigant in an open kettle, light it and close the doors tightly. When the doors are opened several hours later the coop is entirely bugless. In order to get good results it is necessary to use a sufficient amount of good fumigant. The commercial article is the most convenient to use and will assure good results if the directions are followed.

## GOOD ROADS HELP SCHOOLS

Improved Highways and Schoolmaster Are Two Greatest Forces for Advanced Civilization.

Women are keenly interested in the schools. The country having good roads nearly always has good schools. They go together. Where children are forced to cross fields to avoid mud holes in the highways the school is usually hardly worth keeping open. It has been said that "the two greatest forces for the advancement of civilization are the schoolmaster and good roads."

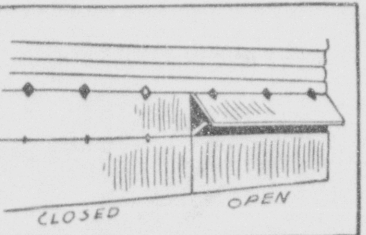
Bad roads in this country are said to be responsible for a loss of a billion dollars a year. This affects the transportation, mercantile and industrial interests as well as the purely agricultural interests. This loss in dollars does not take account of the isolation that is caused by the same reason.

Many women in the country are practically prisoners in their homes for weeks at a time in winter because of the condition of the roads. They are unable to see to the marketing of the farm products. They are unable to take advantage of market conditions. Eggs that are a good price at the time when they are gathered are collected and held till the roads become passable. By that time a change in the market may have robbed them of several dollars that would have been theirs had they been able to get the produce to market.

## VENTILATING A SHEEP SHED

Manner of Arrangement Shown in Illustration Gives Ample Supply of Fresh Air for Animals.

The manner of arranging a sheep shed, as shown in the illustration, furnishes the desired fresh air and prevents the storm, rains, etc., from getting inside, where ordinary door arrangements are not always sure, fly-



Shed Ventilators.

ing open with force frequently. The top of this shed may be left open the greater part of the time without harming the flock at all.

### A Colt Ration.

A grain ration consisting of six pounds of oats or corn, three pounds of bran, and one pound of oilmeal is recommended for colts by the Ohio agricultural college. One pound of the grain mixture should be fed for each 100 pounds of colts, in connection with all the alfalfa or clover hay they will eat.

### Weaken Bird's Vitality.

Unwholesome feed and unhealthy surroundings quickly weaken a bird's vitality.

## CORRECT FOR AUTUMN.

This Smart Suit Attracts by Its Graceful, Simple Lines.



BROADCLOTH AND BRAID.

Featured in a coat almost three-quarters length, this beautiful suit has a full skirt with four plaits on either side and military braid as trimming. A deep belt, disappearing over the hips, is fastened with satin buttons. Novelty velvet furnishes the high turn-over collar. Cloth top shoes and a wide brimmed sailor, trimmed with a coque feather, complete the smart effect.

## SETTLE YOUR HOME.

After Vacation Ends This Task Falls to the Housewife.

Coming home from a vacation is not relished by any worker, but it is particularly hard for the housewife, who must set her home in order immediately upon her return. And this is the lot which awaits most women who have spent the summer in the country and whose homes or apartments have been shut up during the hot weather. A partially dismantled apartment is a most depressing sight to view upon one's home-coming and the prospect of all the work to be done to put the rooms in order will not add to the gaiety of one's spirits. However, the work must be done and done quickly, so it must be accepted with the best grace possible.

If the housewife has been careful about closing up the house before her departure in the early part of summer, her task of reopening the rooms and setting them in order will be considerably lessened at this time of year. All that will be necessary will be to dust, strip off the coverings from furniture and pictures, put down the rugs after the floors have been oiled and hang up the curtains and outer coverings.

In opening up the house for winter occupation begin with the bedrooms, for these will be needed first. It is decidedly unhealthy to sleep even for one night in rooms that have been unaired for several weeks. So throw open the windows the moment you enter the house and let the fresh air clear out the musty odors. Now begin by taking down the bed and going over every crack and crevice carefully, wiping off every particle of dust and washing with gasoline if necessary. Do not use gasoline near fire or open light.

Next tackle the mattress. This should be thoroughly brushed, beaten and aired before being put back on the bed. The same treatment should be accorded the springs. While the bed is thus dismantled, the springs and mattresses having been sent to the roof for an airing if possible, wipe off the walls of the bedroom with a broom wrapped in flannel. This will do away with the chance of microbes remaining in the room from dust which may have collected on the walls.

Now the bed is ready to be made and the rest of the room set in order.

This work will take up probably an entire day, and as it is the most important and necessary work to be done after the housewife's return, she should rest content with her labors and leave the rest of the house for some future time.

It is unwise to try to accomplish too much after the return, for all the benefit of the vacation will be gone if the housewife becomes tired out while putting her house in order.

## An Old Kentucky Home

Since I Began Taking Peruna I Weigh 120 Pounds for the First Time in My Life. My former weight was 102 lbs. My Mother who is 76 Years Old Had Grown so Weak She could scarcely walk. She also took Peruna and is fleshier and looking well.

The above splendid woman is Mrs. Hattie Hamilton, of 918 Glen Ave., Latonia, Ky. She recommends Peruna to all housewives. Address The Peruna Co., of Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of the "Illa of Life."



## Do You Want to Reach Ready-Money Folks?

Wise and energetic people are on the lookout for opportunities. This is why they read the want ads, for with their ready money they are able to take advantage of the inducements offered in this department.

If you have a reasonable proposition you are sure to get results from The Democrat-Forum classified section.



# WANTED

## Horses, Mares and Mules

5 to 9 years old, 15 hands to 16 hands high, weighing 950 to 1450 pounds. Want these sound and in fair flesh for which we will pay the highest market price. Show us your good ones.

Will be at  
Maryville Thursday, October 7

A. O. Fisher & Sons

## ANOTHER NAVAL GAME BEGINS

Attacking Force of Atlantic Fleet Will Try to Land on Coast—Empires to Decide.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 2.—One of the most important war games ever attempted by the Navy department started today on plans worked out by the Naval War College here.

While the Navy officials are reticent in talking of the game it is known that the operations will extend from Cape Cod to Norfolk and that the Atlantic fleet will be divided into two parts, the Blue fleet attempting to defend the country, while the Red fleet attempts to land an expeditionary force.

The imaginary invading force must find a landing place between Cape Cod and Norfolk in the face of the defending fleet. Empires will decide whether this has been safely accomplished.

Last May in similar manoeuvres, the defending warships failed dismally and the Red fleet landed a large force (theoretically) in Chesapeake Bay.

The Red fleet was technically possessed of greater numbers of fast scout and battleship cruisers, and using them as a screen deceived the Blue fleet awaiting along the New England coast.

The result of these manoeuvres, the Navy department announced, indicated clearly the necessity of increasing the complement of scout and battleship cruisers, and showed the impossibility of dreadnaughts effectually protecting the coast lines. The invaders were also in possession of a superior number of submarines. The superiority of the attacking force was gauged by the Naval College so that the invading fleet represented technically the strength which a foreign power, such as Germany or England, could muster in case an attack was made on this country.

### Suspicion.

From Stray Stories.

"Oh, mother," sobbed the young wife, "John doesn't trust me."  
"Why, my child, what has he done?"  
"Well, you know, I cooked my first dinner for him today, and he invited a friend to dine with him." The sobs broke afresh. "And oh, mother, the man was a doctor!"

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE DIAMOND BRAND.  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold seal. Take no other. Buy only the DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best. Sold Everywhere.  
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

## CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at public auction at my farm, 6 1/2 miles southeast of Maryville, 1 mile south and 3/4 of a mile east of Mt. Ayr church, 2 miles south and 1 1/4 miles west of Casey Corner, 2 miles northwest of Bedison, on

Wednesday, October 6

6 HEAD HORSES—2-year-old gelding, 1 bay mare 5 years old, 1 bay mare smooth mouth, both bred to Percheron horse; 1 brown mare 6 years old, bred to Coach horse, gentle for women and children; 1 yearling half-blood Shetland pony mare, spotted black and white; 1 gray pony mare smooth mouth in foal.

17 HEAD OF CATTLE—8 head milk cows, all good young ones; 2 2-year-old heifers, 1 bull 2 years old, 1 yearling steer, 5 spring calves.

37 HEAD OF HOGS—7 brood sows, 30 shoats from 50 to 100 lbs.

FEED—15 acres of corn in field, 10 tons hay, fall pasture with running water. 30 bushels potatoes.

3 or 4 dozen Golden Laced Wyandotte chickens, 10 Mammoth bronze turkeys.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, combined lister and drill, plow, harrow, mowing machine, sweep rake, disc, riding cultivator, hay frame, go-devil, corn sheller, buggy, 3 sets of double harness, set single harness, De Laval cream separator, lard press, incubator, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Furniture, organ, malleable steel range, good as new, various other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. Lunch by ladies of Bedison church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

## ALUMINUM MOST ABUNDANT.

Metal, A Curiosity Few Years Ago, Now a Necessity.

Aluminum is the most abundant of all the metals. In the form of its oxide, alumina, it constitutes about 15 per cent of the earth's crust, according to the United States Geological Survey. Yet until recent years it was a curiosity; there were only a few hundred or few thousand pounds in existence, and its value was \$14 or \$15 a pound. Within a generation it has become very useful, now selling at about 20 cents a pound. The entry of aluminum into the field of useful metals came with the discovery that it could be extracted from the mineral bauxite, a claylike substance. This mineral itself is by no means plentiful, but known deposits are sufficient to make aluminum an important competitor of certain metals, such as copper and tin, in a good many lines of work.

Already aluminum has displaced steel in certain classes of construction where strength is required in combination with extreme lightness, such as in the manufacture of flying machines. An alloy known as duralumin, containing about 95 per cent of aluminum, is claimed to have qualities as good as those of good Bessemer Steel, although it is only one-third as heavy. This alloy possesses great hardness when annealed, and its melting point is above 1,200 degrees F. The great future of aluminum lies in the perfection of a process whereby it can be commercially extracted from the unlimited deposits of alumina-rich clays and rocks, which exist in all parts of the world. The day which shall yield really cheap aluminum holds out boundless possibilities. The chemist or investigator who can devise the needed process of extraction will not be forgotten by succeeding generations.

### Pitiless.

From the Christian Register.

"Some men have no hearts," said the tramp. "I've been a-tellin' that feller I am so dead broke that I have to sleep outdoors."  
"Didn't that fetch him?" asked the other.  
"Naw. He tol' me he was a-doin' the same thing, and had to pay the doctor for tellin' him to do it."

### Iowa Guest Leaves.

Mrs. Margaret Burrus of Malvern, Ia., who had been visiting her brothers George, Jr., Clun and John Aley and families, left last night for Burlington Junction to visit her father, George Aley.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## FOUNDER OF PARNELL DEAD

Horace Jones, Extensive Land Holder and Farmer, Succumbs Last Night to Long Illness.

Horace Jones, 68 years old, one of the most extensive land holders in Nodaway county, and the founder of the town of Parnell, died at 10 o'clock last night at the family home in Parnell.

Mr Jones had been in failing health for the past two years and for several months past had been confined to his bed.

In 1872, after a period of several years spent as a wage earner in various parts of the west, to which he had come from Montgomery county, Indiana, where he was born and grew to manhood, Mr. Jones purchased a farm which is now the town site of Parnell. From that time on his career in a business way held remarkable success. He kept buying up land until in a few years he owned about 4,000 acres.

In 1887 when the Great Western rail road was built through Nodaway county, its lines crossed the western part of the county and the station of Parnell was located on Mr. Jones' land. Mr. Jones erected some of the best buildings in the town, gave a lot to each of the churches and aided them in erecting buildings. He was very active in everything which would pertain to the advancement of Parnell. Mr. Jones was twice married, first to Miss Ellen Catter of Iowa, who died in 1879 and later to Miss Julia L. Allyn, who with four children survive him. The children are Mrs. Geo. Felton, Mrs. E. A. Breit, Edward and Ben Jones, all living at Parnell.

Mr. Jones was a member of the Masonic lodge and it will have a part in the funeral services which are to be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the family home in Parnell, conducted by the Rev. W. E. Tinney, pastor of the Methodist church of that place.

The Knights Templar Order of Masons of this city, will go to Parnell to attend the funeral services tomorrow. They will start from here in autos at 11:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. The funeral will be under the auspices of the Parnell lodge of Masons.

### SIR KNIGHTS, ATTENTION.

You are ordered to assemble in the Asylum, Masonic Hall, Sunday, October 3rd, at 11 o'clock a. m. to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Horace Jones at Parnell. Cars will leave the hall at 11:30 a. m.

W. H. Hudson,  
Recorder.

### WIRES STOP FOR 2 DAYS

Believed Allies Have Some Large "Coups" Planned.

New York, Oct. 2.—"Because of military necessity" all Europe will be isolated for the next forty-eight hours from the rest of the world so far as telegraphic and cable communication is concerned. This does not apply to censored press dispatches.

It is believed this action was taken to cloak some extraordinary important military movement of the Allies, which, it is feared, might be communicated to enemy countries by spies.

The postmaster general of England announced in London yesterday all telegrams for neutral countries in Europe, for Russia and for Serbia would be subject to forty-eight hours' delay.

Immediately following this announcement came one from France saying that because of military necessity the acceptance of private telegrams from any origin destined to Switzerland or in transit through Switzerland would be temporarily suspended.

### Two Farms Sold Today.

George Perkins, who lives four and a half miles east of Pickering, sold today, through Collins & Alexander of Pickering, an 80-acre farm to Charles McMaster of Hopkins, for a purchase price of \$6,866. At the same time Mr. Perkins sold a 40-acre tract to Lawrence Wiley of Pickering for \$2,933. The new owners will take possession March 1, next.

### Visiting High School Teachers.

Miss Elma Baker of Hale, Mo., came last night for a week-end visit with Miss Lois Halley and Miss Mary Rooker, teachers in the high school. Miss Halley attended the University of Missouri with Miss Baker and Miss Rooker lived in Hale for several years.

### Employed at Telephone Office.

Miss Elizabeth Cunningham has been employed as assistant operator at the Clyde mutual telephone exchange.

### Returns to Kansas City.

Mrs. Charles Bird of Kansas City, returned to her home this morning after a visit at Quitman, where she was the guest of Mrs. Rose Bird.

A large force of apple pickers began work at the Ford & Klaas orchard Monday. It is expected that about 300 barrels will be picked and packed daily and loaded at this station. The entire crop will be shipped to Minnesota.—Parnell Sentinel.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

## Orchard Information

### CULTIVATION IN AN ORCHARD

Some Sort of Straw Mulch Will Act as Protection From Heaving Caused by Frost and Thaw.

(By R. B. HOWE, Colorado Experiment Station.)

There are two main reasons for cultivating—to make plant food available and to conserve moisture. In cultivating, the soil particles are broken up and the root hairs passing in among the small particles take up plant food from the soil water. The plant food goes into solution in the soil water as the rock and particles in the soil decompose. More often we cultivate to kill the weeds, but really to conserve moisture. After each rain the soil is packed down to some extent, and this crust, which forms upon the surface with the drying of the soil, will draw water from the subsoil to the surface by capillarity. When we cultivate this surface crust is broken up and the water does not as readily escape from the sub-surface to the air, and is held for use by the plant. The fruit crop requires a great deal of water to mature fruits of good size. In dry seasons the size of the summer fruits is liable to be small on account of the insufficient water supply. Where the fruit garden is a small plot of ground sufficient to supply the table with fruit it is difficult to take time to cultivate the strawberries and blackberries, and for this reason the use of some sort of a straw mulch will be best to help retain the moisture in the soil for the plants. The mulch is plowed under after the crop has been taken off and a new mulch applied in the fall after the ground is well frozen, when it will also act as a protection from the heaving caused by the frosts and thaws.

### HOW TO PREPARE BORDEAUX

A Few Suggestions in Regard to Its Proper Mixing—Formula Most in Use at Present Time.

As bordeaux is probably the most used fungicide at present, a few suggestions in regard to its proper mixing will not be out of place. The formula most in use at present is four pounds of copper sulphate (blue vitriol) four pounds of good lime and 50 gallons of water. The granulated form of copper sulphate should be used, and only well-burned lime which is not air slaked should be used. Be sure to use lime enough. If lime is poor or if there is any fear of bordeaux injury to the fruit add another pound of lime.

The lime and copper sulphate should be prepared in different receptacles, preferably half barrels. The copper sulphate should be held in a sack at the top of the half barrel and allowed to dissolve. Never put the copper sulphate in the bottom of the barrel. When slaking the lime add the water a little at a time so as not to kill the heat from the lime. When the slaking is completed and when the copper sulphate is all dissolved and both mixtures have been brought up to 25 gallons, they may be put together after a thorough mixing. Be sure to pour the copper sulphate into the lime, which has previously been put into a mixing barrel or the spray pump. Do not pour the lime into the copper sulphate, as the mixture obtained is not good bordeaux and will oftentimes do injury instead of being beneficial.

### TIMELY WORK IN ORCHARDS

Farmers Should Guard Against Ravages of Mice and Rabbits—Prune During Winter Weather.

The protection of orchards against damage by mice and rabbits is work which may well be pursued in the fall, particularly in the case of young orchards, and when that is completed the season's pruning may be begun. Fall is really the beginning of the pruning season, and there are many advantages in doing as much as possible of this work during favorable weather of early winter. About the only objection which may arise to



Enemies of Young Trees.

doing this work before spring comes from localities where the winters are cold and dry, and there it is frequently found that wounds which are made in the fall dry out during the winter to such an extent that the bark is killed for a considerable area around the wound, making the wound many times larger than it would have been otherwise.

### Tip the Raspberry Plants.

Now is the time for tipping black raspberry plants if you want to raise new plants. As the new growth bends over the ground, each tip should be buried in the soil a few inches and held in place by piling up a little earth upon it. Next spring the tips will have roots, when the plants can be cut off from the parent bushes and planted wherever they are wanted.

## MARKET REPORTS

### TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.  
Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Oct. 2.—WHEAT—December, 92 1/2c; May, 94 1/2c.  
CORN—September, 50c; May, 52 1/2c.

Kansas City Live Stock.  
Special to The Democrat-Forum.  
Kansas City, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200.  
HOGS—Receipts, 1,000. Market, steady; top, \$8.05; bulk, \$7.50@8.00.

Chicago Live Stock.  
Chicago, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts 500. Market, weak. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.  
HOGS—Receipts, 6,000. Market, 5c higher; top, \$8.25. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.

St. Joseph Live Stock.  
St. Joseph, Oct. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, none.  
HOGS—Receipts, 2,200. Market, steady; top, \$8.00.

### TO UNITE SOUTH GOVERNORS

Executives of Fourteen States Including Missouri Agree to Organize at Charlestown.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Announcement was made here today that the invitation of Governor Richard I. Manning of South Carolina, to the Governors of the South to meet in Charleston at the time of the seventh annual convention of The Southern Commercial Congress to organize the House of Southern Governors, has been accepted by the executives of fourteen states.

"The South," Governor Manning states, "has its peculiar problems. The convention at Charleston comes at a time when questions of vast moment should be deliberated upon and discussed by those who are to direct and guide in the solution of these problems. The question in regard to cotton, its marketing and exportation; the subject of rural finance, with especial reference to long-time loans and short-time personal credit; the commercial advantage presented to the South through the opening of the Panama Canal and the European war—these questions, discussed by the executives of our Southern States at the time of the Charleston congress, may produce recommendations that may be called to the attention of the people of the South and present to the Congress of the United States the peculiar problems that should receive prompt attention through Federal legislative action."

Governor Manning is being assisted in the organization of the House of Southern Governors by Dr. Clarence J. Owens, managing director of The Southern Commercial Congress, who is acting as temporary secretary.

The Governors who have signified their intention of participating in the organization include those of Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee.

All former governors and the present lieutenant-governors of the Southern States have also been invited to attend the conference.

### W. B. Blachley Ill.

W. B. Blachley of West Fourth street has been seriously ill for the past week and his condition is now critical. Several weeks ago Mr. Blachley suffered a relapse from heat prostration and has been growing steadily worse from that time.

### Miss Wolfers Home.

Miss Mary Wolfers of Pickering, returned to her home today after a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. A. Corden of Burlington Junction.

### To Attend Greeley School.

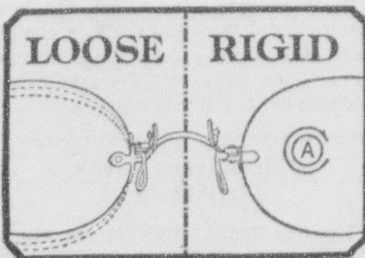
James Sheridan left this morning for Greeley, Colo., where he will spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. George Aux and attend school.

### A Peach.

Boss—Is Clerkkin a good salesman? Manager—You bet! He could sell glass eyes to potatoes.—Exchange.

### An Event.

Proud Mother—Oh, James, what do you think? The twins have another tooth!—Life.



Our Kee-Lock Eyeglasses and spectacle Mounting is absolutely rigid—the lenses stay secure. No screws to loosen. No holes in the lens. It is the very best and latest. Come in.

H. T. CRANE, Jeweler and Optician, Office at Star Barn.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

# WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

### RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days. Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion. Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

### Miscellaneous

WANTED—Girl ushers. Apply at Star Theatre, Sunday or Monday. 2\*

WANTED—Waitress wanted at Merchant's Cafe. 1-3\*

Our fall line of famous Barry Shoes now on display. M. Nusbaum. 2-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

The Presbyterian women will hold "Parcel Post" sale Saturday at Miss Ashford's Millinery store. Parcels 25c. 30-2

WANTED—To furnish music for all occasions. Out of town engagements solicited. Alma M. Nash, 319 West Thompson street. 25-Oct. 4\*

We are agents for the Hatch one-button union suits for men. Most practical underwear made. M. Nusbaum. 20-2

SALESMEN: POCKET SIDE LINE NEW LIVE PROPOSITION, all merchants in towns of 100,000 and under want it. Pays \$5.00 commission on each sale. No collecting, no risk to merchant. We take back unsold goods. Easiest, biggest paying side line ever offered. CANFIELD MFG. CO., 298 S. St. Chicago. 18\*

### For Rent.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms at 810 East Third. Call Hanamo 3396. 1-3\*

FOR RENT—Extra good pasture, or will take in stock. Ed M. Walker, Farmers phone 23-0-12. 29-1f

FOR RENT—The Ed Keck property on West Third St. Holmes & Wolfert 18tf.

### For Sale

FOR SALE—15 h. p. Fairbanks Morris gasoline engine, good one. Am installing electric motor power. G. P. Bains, Farmers phone 27-23. 29-5

FOR SALE—Good two-seat surrey, shafts and pole, good condition; also single seat phaeton, good condition, at Wadley Bros. Harness store. N. Sisson, Maryville. 21tf.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red pullets. Charles Viles, 1013 East Fifth. phone 6441. 30-1f

FOR SALE OR RENT—5-room cottage, city and well water, bath and electric lights. Dr. F. M. Martin. 6tf.

FARM FOR SALE BY owner. 152 or 172 acres 6 miles from Kng City, 25 miles from St. Joseph. Good improvements. Easy terms. For further particulars address, Longview Farm, Union Star, Mo. 21-Oct. 5\*

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 21tf.

### Guest at Lyle Home.

Curtis Lyle, who is employed at Omaha, came to Maryville this morning, to spend the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle. On his return to Omaha he will be accompanied by his sister, Mrs. M. J. Alderman of Omaha, who has been spending several weeks with her parents.

### Barnard Lights Delayed.

All the wires are up for electric lights at Barnard and everything in readiness except the most important feature. The dynamo has failed to arrive. It is believed that the "juice" can be turned on within twenty-four hours after it arrives. Graham has hopes for her lights early next week.

### Here From Pickering.

Miss Nellie Morford and Miss Eugenia Hull of Pickering, spent the day visiting friends in Maryville.

### LEAKY AUTOMOBILE

Radiators Soldered  
Be sure and bring radiator off the car. Hanamo Phone 4281.

### F. L. CURFMAN

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